

THE FIERCE SPIRIT OF AN AGGIE



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## ALMA MATER

Dear A. and T., dear A. and T., a monument indeed,  
Around thy base with grateful hearts behold thy students, kneel.  
We bless the power that gave thee birth to help us in our need,  
We'll ever strive while here on earth all loyalty to yield.

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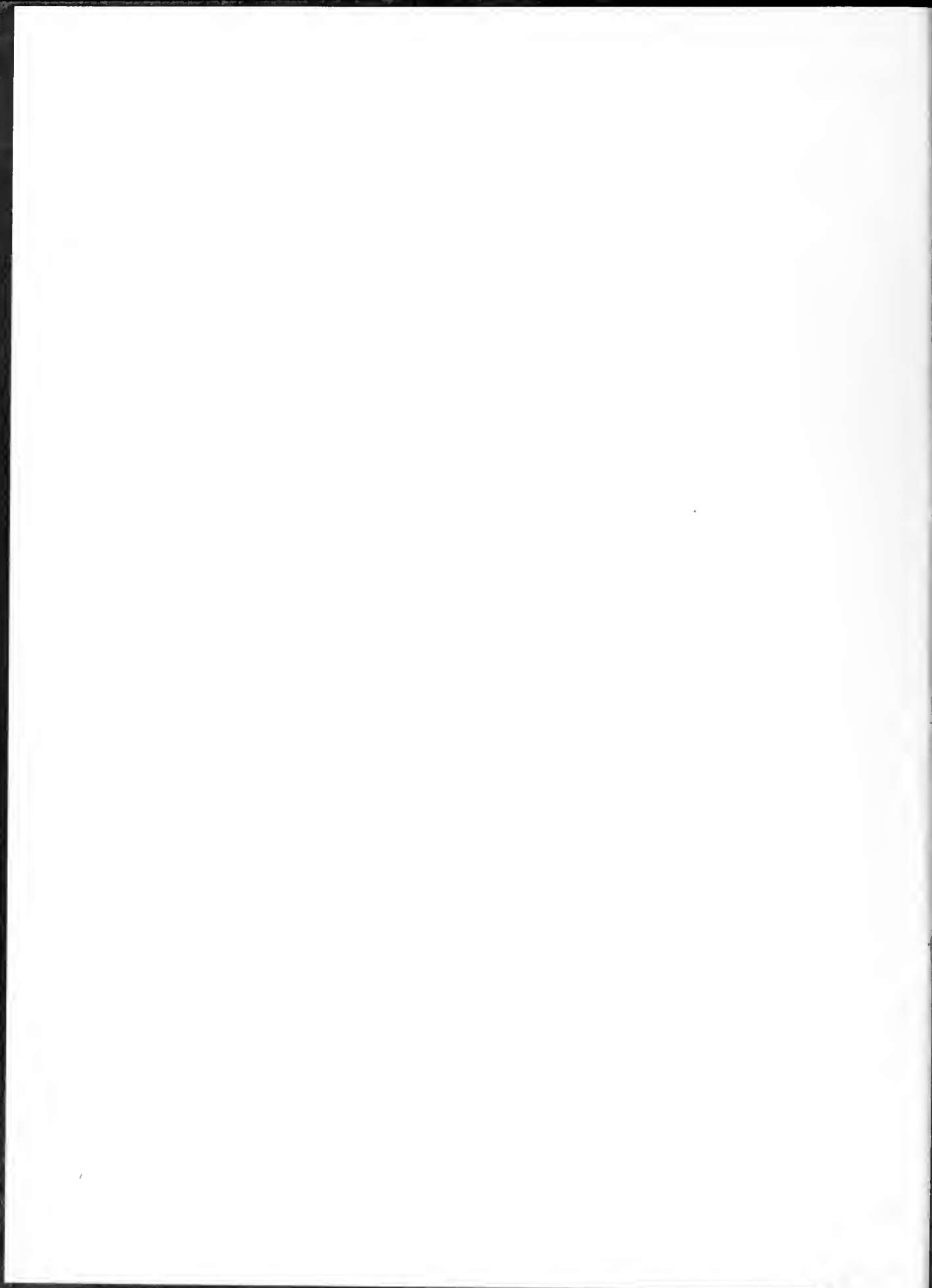
With joy, with joy, dear A. and T., thy students turn from thee.  
To spread thy trophies year by year from Dare to Cherokee.

### II

Dear A. and T., dear A. and T., the signet thou shalt be  
Set by our great old commonwealth, proud boaster of the free;  
She'd have the record of her worth on granite not inscribed-  
Nay, let the children of her birth proclaim it by their lives.

### III

Dear A. and T., dear A. and T., henceforth our aim shall be,  
By precepts wise and deeds more sure to bless the State through thee:  
The arts of industry to wield against an idle foe.  
A harvest rich from ripened fields of what thy students sow.





# ***FIRE ALARM***



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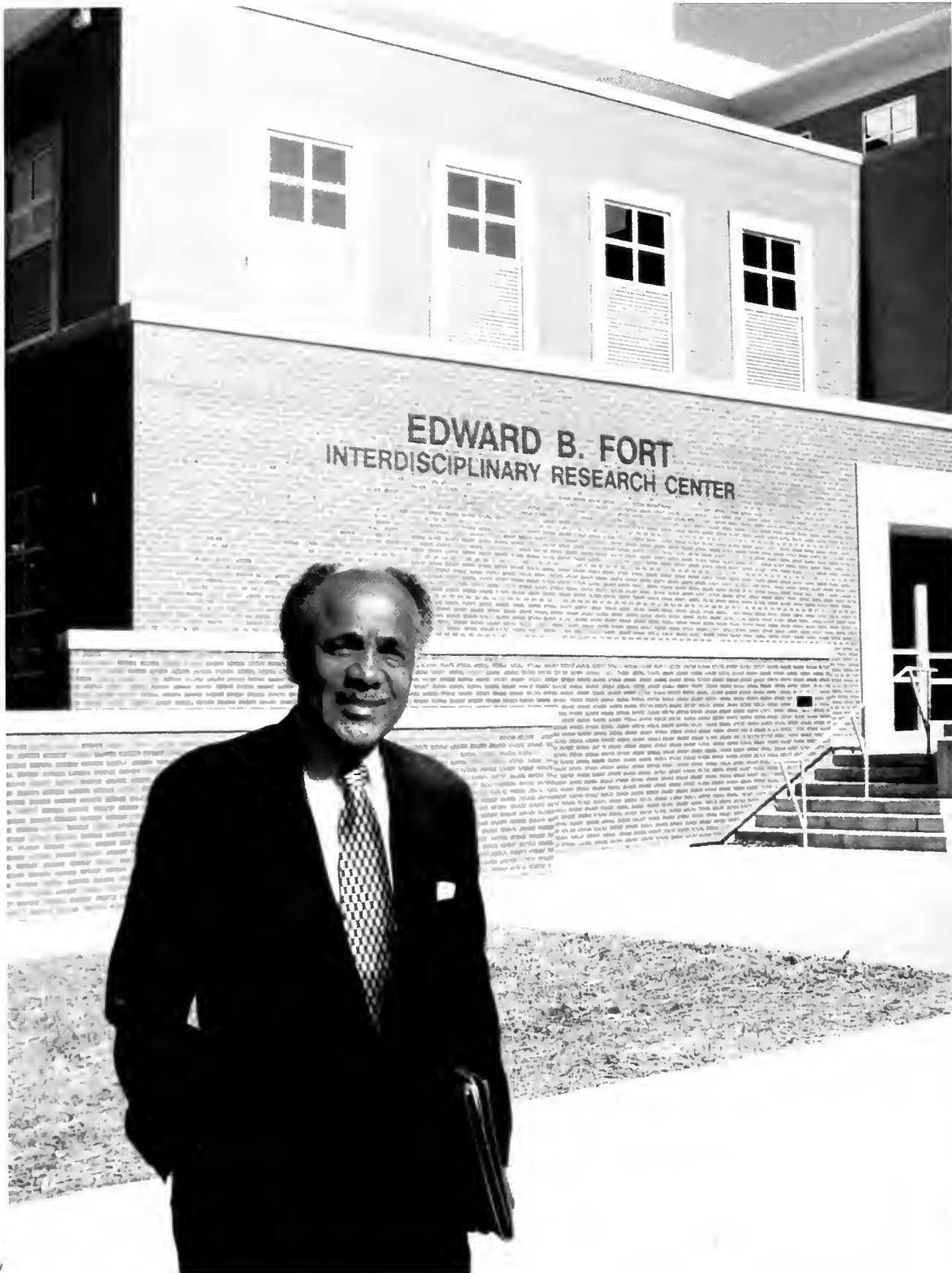


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# Chancellor Edward B. Fort





As "Keeper of the Aggie Flame," Chancellor Fort is never too busy to be involved on campus. The character and determination that lies within him continue to keep the Torch of Excellence glowing even through the darkest hours. His loyalty to North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University is an eternal quality that will never be forgotten.

A man with true character, determination, and loyalty will be a successful leader, and that man is Chancellor Edward B. Fort.

USDA Scholars were invited to attend a dinner banquet at Chancellor Fort's home.



Making sure the students' questions are being answered, the Chancellor communicates with SGA on a regular basis.

Even when there is no time to play, Chancellor Fort continues to make others smile.





The University/Industry Cluster is a group of Fortune 500 and 100-corporations that works very closely with the university in various activities. This group, A&T's closest link to the corporate world, has as its mission to initiate, develop, and expand cooperative working relationships between the university and a group of supporting industries so that our graduates will be better prepared to enter and compete in the corporate world.

The Cluster also works to supply the companies with large numbers of manpower resources. On a whole, the Cluster sees itself as a "continuously growing partnership between Industry and the university".

The Cluster members and their corporations provide scholarships and internships, recruit and hire A&T students, and provide advocacy support for the university.

According to Chancellor Edward B. Fort, "The University/Industry Cluster is a winner, one of the best in the country."

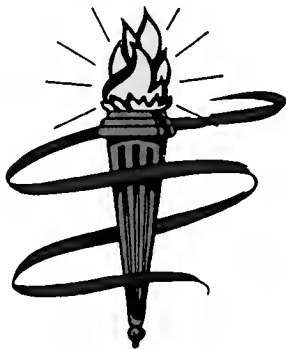




# University/Industry Cluster



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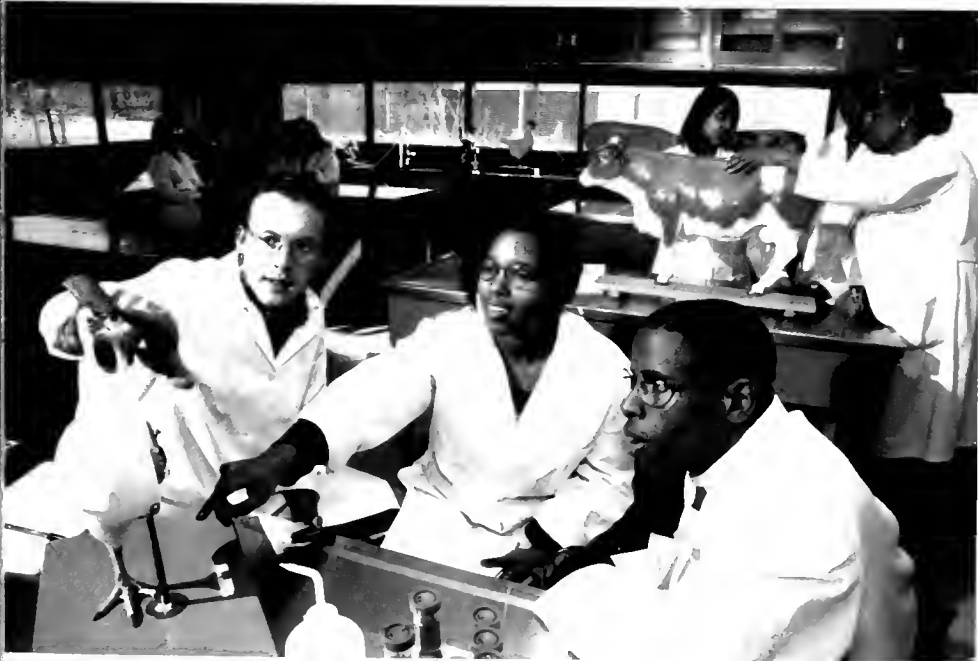


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Special Assistant to the Chancellor for Legal Affairs

## A BEACON FOR RESEARCH



F.D. Bluford Library is the heart and basis for learning and research for students. Many students use Bluford Library to get general information on various topics. They then are able to go to their respective departments to get an explanation in greater detail. Like a heart has veins, Bluford Library has vessels which lead to laboratories in various schools in the university. Students get a more distinctive and precise understanding in research laboratories on subjects ranging from agriculture, engineering, and biological sciences. It is here at North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University where dreamers do become achievers.



# TAMING THE FLAME



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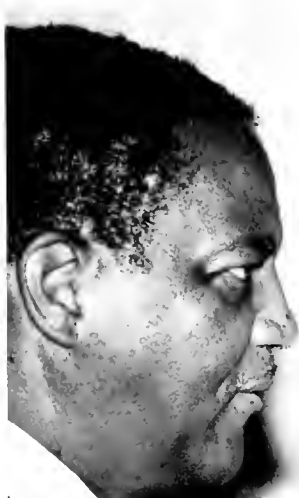
Dr. Charles Williams  
School of Graduate Studies, Interim

Okay, we know who they are, but what do they do? Do they sit behind a desk and talk on the phone all day? Well, this may be part of their job, but they are very busy people. Remember homecoming, you know, the concert, the comedy show, the step show? Well, they worked hard to bring us the acts. They also helped raise a lot of money for the fitness and wellness center during homecoming. Not only that, but they have introduced a shuttle system to help eliminate the parking situation. Thanks to SGA, we also have cable TV in the dorms, a new food service (Marcorp), etcetera, etcetera. Our Student Government Association has been a powerful liaison this year. Hats off to them for fueling the fire!



*"Reactive Aggies Wait. Proactive Aggies Create."*

*— Rasheed-Ali Cromwell, SGA President*



## SGA Involvement



## ***"FUELING THE FIRE"***

### **STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION**

The Student Government Association shall be the official organization of the student body and shall serve as a liason between the administration and students, as well as promote unity, self development, and school spirit.

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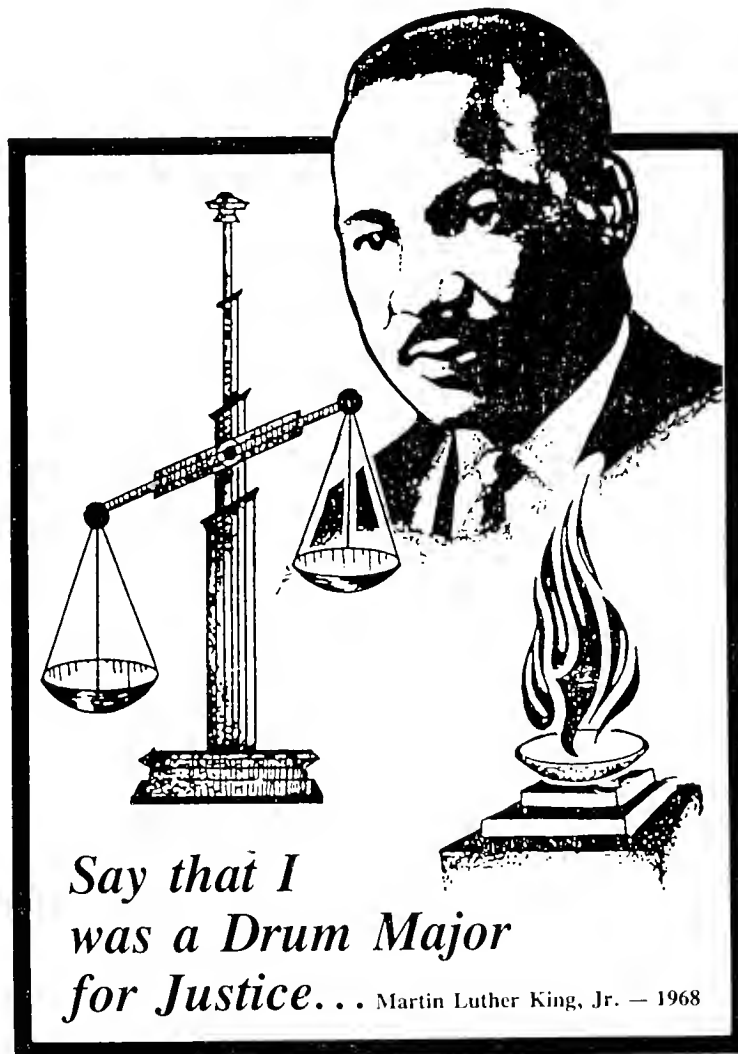
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*"LIVING THE DREAM: LET FREEDOM RING!"*  
(Ending The Violence Of Poverty, World Hunger, Apartheid,  
And Terrorism Through Creative Non-Violent Action.)



COMMEMORATIVE CONVOCATION HONORING  
THE LATE DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1997  
RICHARD B. HARRISON AUDITORIUM  
7:00 P. M.

Sponsored By The Student Government Association



# PAYING TRIBUTE TO DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.



Ms. Dorothy F. Cotton, former Education Director for the Southern Christian Leadership Conference.

"I came to see for the first time that the Christian doctrine of love, operating through the Gandian method of nonviolence is one of the most potent weapons available to an oppressed people in their struggle for freedom." — Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



The Senior Class sponsored a candlelight vigil in memory of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.



(from left to right) Karla Johnson, Tate Williams, Joeletta Patrick



Karla Johnson, President of the Council of Presidents, presents Ms. Cotton with a special gift on behalf of the Aggie Family.

# TASTE THE DIFFERENCE

We've made history! Students love the taste of A&T cafe food.



What will I have today?

# EAT AT WILLIAMS CAFETERIA

College students can never seem to keep their heads out of the books — not even in the cafe.

Wait a minute. I'm not ready yet.



De-e-e-licious!



William's Cafeteria puts a smile on everyone's face. Even Birhanie's.

## NC A&T Celebrates . . .



Kwanzaa is an African-American holiday that takes place during the month of December. Its primary purpose is to affirm seven Swahili Principles. Swahili is the chosen language because it is believed many African-Americans have originated from the region of Africa where Swahili is more commonly used. Kwanzaa affirms faith, economic empowerment, and education to name just a few. It is by no means a "Black Christmas" or a substitute for Christmas. Instead it is a time when African-Americans can affirm their heritage.

# Kwanzaa





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# BLACK COLLEGES UNITED

A-mer-i-ca, hear our song. Students representing several historically black colleges and universities (HBCUs) in North Carolina (NCATSU, NCCU, Shaw, Bennett, WSSU, Livingstone) and Washington, DC (Howard University) chanted throughout the streets, "Black Colleges United Will Never Be Divided."

Several leaders spoke at the event including: Harvey Gantt, candidate for the US Senate; Rasheed-Ali Cromwell, SGA President, NCATSU; Joeletta Patrick, Miss NCATSU; Taryn Mitchell, SGA Chief-of-Staff, NCATSU. As a matter of fact, our leaders represented us VERY well. SGA President Rasheed-Ali Cromwell stressed the importance of recognizing our African heritage and understanding what role our roots play in our lives.

That day, we all realized we were on a mission, and we wanted everyone to know this as we marched on Raleigh. What was our mission? That question breeds a variety of answers — to respect, protect, and never neglect each other as brothers and sisters, to come together as one and discuss the future of HBCUs, and to preserve the fruition of historically black colleges and universities. We all know that what we experienced that day was more than talk. It was about action. We, as Aggies, promised to act.

OCTOBER 4, 1996. BLACK COLLEGE DAY. RALEIGH, NC.



## NEVER BE

D I V I D E D



# GROUNDBREAKING FOR THE NEW



On Wednesday, September 18, 1996, students, faculty, other educators, and Greensboro politicians witnessed the groundbreaking for the new school of technology building at Price Hall. North Carolina A & T's School of Technology is one of two technology schools in the state, and is recognized nationally for producing graduates who now work in the areas of government, education and/or management.



# SCHOOL OF TECHNOLOGY BUILDING



The new facility will hold several labs designed to teach electronic communications, metrology, and computer aided publishing, to name a few.



All eyes are on those who will participate in the ceremonial ground-breaking.



# FEEL THE FIRE OF OUR EMPIRE

## Editor's Note

This year, our ultimate goal was to unfurl the fire in every Aggie. Looking at the work that we have done, I must say that every element — pictures, designs and text — of this annual has helped us reach our goal. I must congratulate the staff, especially those of you who burned the midnight oil with me, even though it was the weekend, or if you had a test the next day. Again, I appreciate your hard work and I am very impressed with the outcome.

Sincerely,

Shannon L. Outlaw  
Editor-in-Chief, *Ayantee*



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## THE NOCTURNAL FLAME



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# PROJECT: YEARBOOK UNDER CONSTRUCTION

*"... You cannot give energy if you're not on fire on the inside."*

*— Jesse Jackson, NC A&T Alumnus*



Hi, Ken! You're on Candid Camera!



Oh, yes, Al. We got YOU this time!



So much to do, so little time.



Editor at Work





You're just testing the camera out, right?! You're not putting me in the yearbook?!

This is what Al likes best about being a photographer ... no doubt!

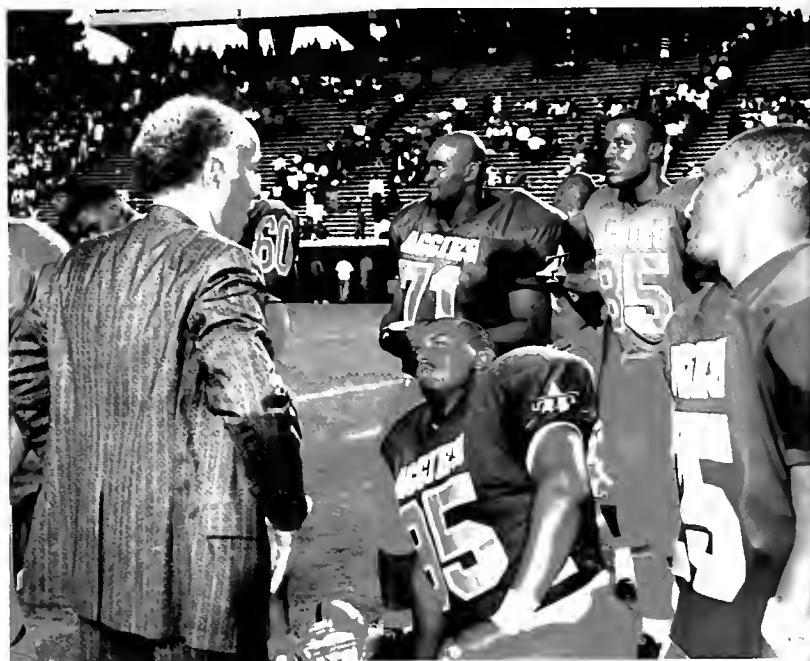


Hello, Aggies. We hope you don't mind if we interrupt for a sec. Well, how are you doing? We've been very busy this year; don't let the pictures fool you. Our average week goes a little something like this — our photographers take dozens of pictures, our layout artists lay out about ten or twelve pages of pictures, copywriters create copy for them, and voila — we're through! Then, we rest for a day, and get back to work the next week.

Putting the yearbook together is **HARD WORK**. Three hundred and twenty pages of Aggie Pride is what we strive for. We wouldn't dream of settling for less. All of this, however, is almost nothing compared to an ever harder job — creating a theme for the book.

This year, we decided to capture the fire inside of the Aggie. Every spark, every glow, every burst of energy caught our interest, and every time we were lucky enough to catch you in that moment, we did. After looking at the year in review, we decided that . . .

Aggies are, without a doubt, ready for the world. We possess a burst of energy fueled by a sense of pride and a thirst for knowledge. Our fiery spirit shines through us in whatever we do. Anyone in our presence or in our territory should feel the heat. We're on fire inside, and we're waiting to do more than exhale. From our feverish minds to our boiling feet, we're right on time and we're ready to compete. Watch out world — **HERE WE COME!!!!**





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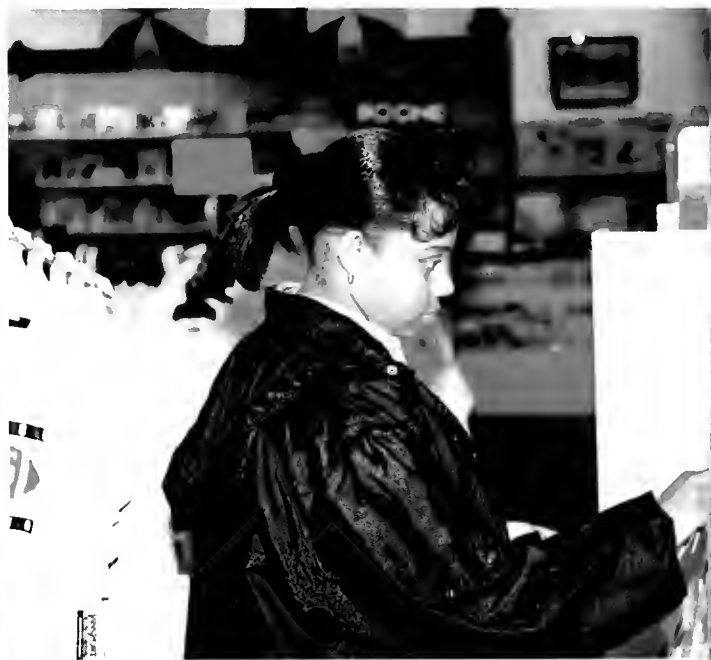


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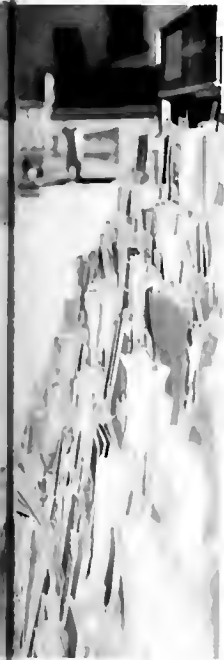
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# WHAT'S HAPPENING



# ENIN' AT THE BOOKSTORE??!!

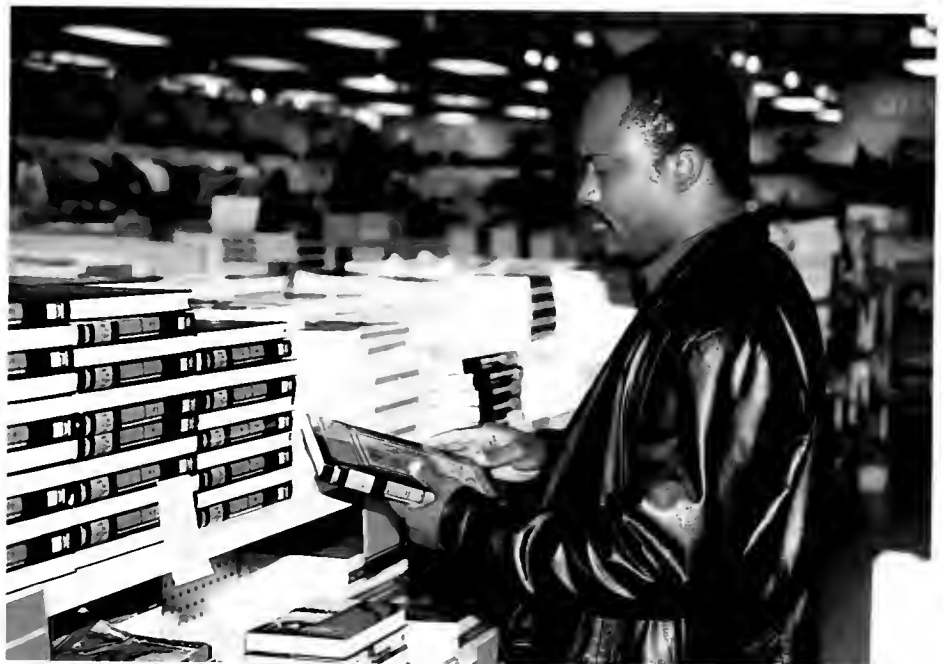
Art, Biology, English, Psychology. Where do we buy these books? The A&T bookstore is where we find our books, sweatshirts, greeting cards, and CDs, at, well, *bookstore* prices!



“

... a race that does not read must  
ever be a laggard race.

”





# ALL OF THIS WORK, AND

"Just one more class. I only need three hours to graduate." Last summer, Corbett Gym was swarming with frustrated students. Some were paying bills, some were getting parking stickers, and others were just trying to get into a class. It may sound easy, especially if you're on the outside looking in, but it can be a real headache. Just think — all of this work, just to get into a class!





# SCHOOL HASN'T EVEN STARTED YET!

This is only the fifth time I've been in this line. Of course I'll be patient with you.



August 22, 1996. Students are rushing back and forth across the gym. Everyone's in a frenzy — students, parents, and administrators. All they need is a break. The only question is When? Where? How?

# CAREER DAY: CREATING YOUR FUTURE



Many students take advantage of career day.



This is one opportunity for Aggies to apply for a job, interview, and submit their résumé to prospective employers.



Companies also solicit students by presenting prototypes, so prospective employees can get a better understanding of exactly what the company produces.

## *Technology: A Career Odyssey*

*Technology above and beyond  
Now it's time to use the magnetic audiotape.*

*Technology is rapidly changing  
And we are steadily rearranging.  
This new technology will allow students  
To reach for the stars, or even visit Mars.*

*It's time we pick up the pace  
And join the worldly race.*

*OCS is the epitome of innovation  
And we had lots of motivation.*

*We did some pioneering,  
As well as some re-engineering.  
As a result, OCS can compete  
Without a defeat.*

*So come and take a flight on the OCS Odyssey.  
It will accommodate any prodigy.*

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This student submits his résumé, and begins to sell himself.

# CAMPUS SAFETY CONFERENCE



A panel of community leaders give their perspectives of how to solve various crime problems, and how to prevent crime from happening.



Chancellor Edward B. Fort was also in attendance for the conference.



Ms. Morgan, Barbbee Hall Director, and others attend the campus safety luncheon that followed morning workshops.

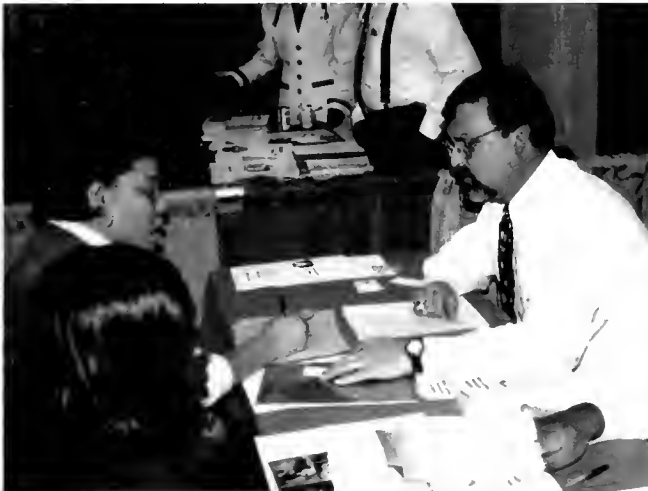
Also in attendance were residence hall officers.



Jacquelyn H. Barrett, sheriff of Fulton county in Georgia, was the keynote speaker at the conference luncheon.

## Career Day for Teachers . . .

A career fair for educators and prospective teachers was held this year in Corbett Sports Center. Recruiters came from Greensboro and as far away as New York State seeking out fresh, eager, energetic role models to teach tomorrow's leaders. Many A&T students flocked over to Corbett with resumes in one hand and a pen in the other. Many students even had the opportunity to apply on site.



# Educating Tomorrow's Leaders



"It takes a whole village to raise a child"

— African Proverb



# KNOW OUR BRI TROUBLED



Everything we need to know we learned in kindergarten. But everything we want to know we learn at A&T. In order to be on top of things, we have to study 24-7, basically. Cracking those books is not going to do it, my friends. Not here. You gotta be BURIED IN THOSE BOOKS. There's just no other way.





# LEDGE: DGE OVER WATERS



And of course, you **MUST** register. There's no way around that one.

Aggie Minds aka **THE BURNING ZONE.**



# HELP ME!!! I WANT TO GO TO GRAD SCHOOL!



Clemson University offers several graduate study programs, in Accounting, English, History, and Psychology, to name a few.

Oh, I don't know about all that now.



Law? Education? Medicine? Duke, ECU, LUVA, or simply the *hottest*, NCA&TSU? Most of us want to pursue graduate study. We're just not sure where yet. Some of us don't really know what we specifically want a degree in either. That's one of the reasons we have Graduate School Day — so that we can familiarize ourselves with all of the options. No one can *make* us go to grad school, but it's *definitely* something to think about.



At the University of Maryland at College Park, everyone matters.

So, does Tanisha want to go to Chapel Hill?





I'm not exactly sure if I want to go or not.



Nice to meet you.



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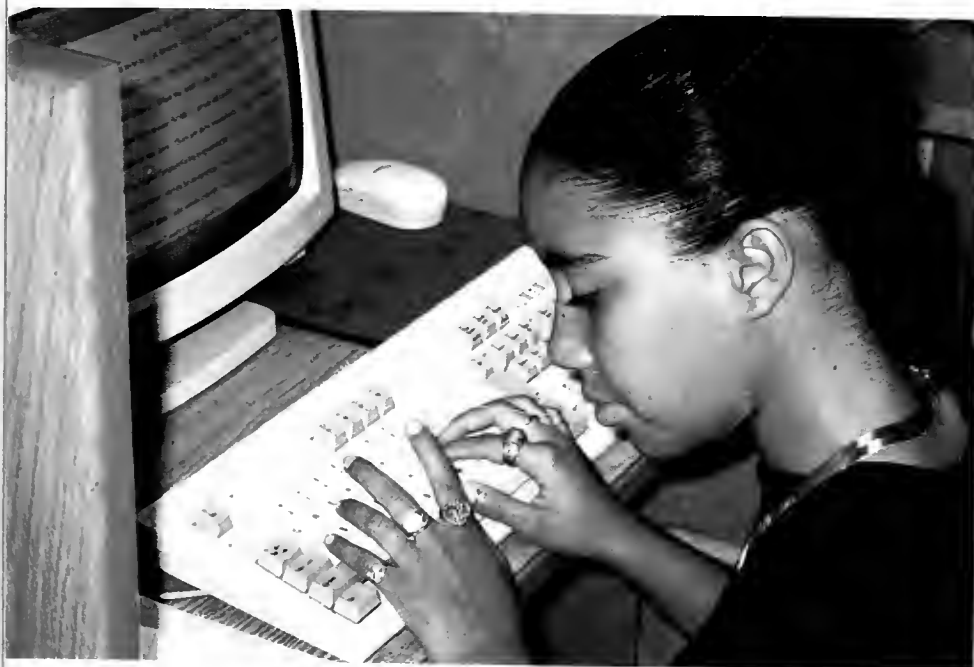
IS OUR NAME



TAKING  
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IS OUR  
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Work like a slave today.  
Rule as a master  
tomorrow.

Let's pray that Spell Check is  
on this computer!

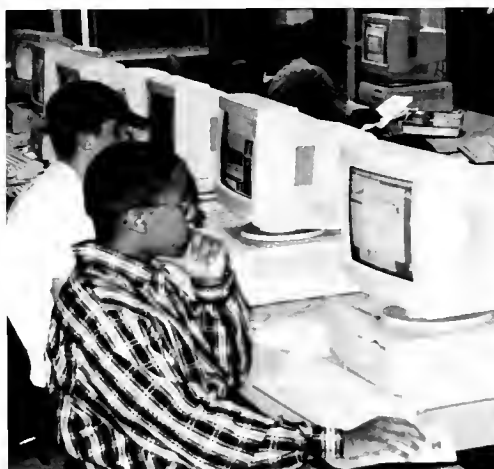
If you're wondering what a  
Work-Study Student does —  
Surprise!!!



I'm almost finished. Please don't  
CRASH!

# LEARNING BY DOING

Everybody uses the computer lab! Both professors and students rush for the labs in Merrick, Mar-teena, or Bluford to make the last few changes on that special presentation. Whether it be a report or spreadsheet, the computer just gives it that extraordinary professional finish.



Academic excellence is one of the many ideals we strive for at North Carolina A & T State University. Whether we are in the computer lab, in one of our fine schools, or in the Student Union, we are always learning. Books are very useful, but involvement is a must!



## Academic Excellence is a Must!

At North Carolina A & T, students and faculty go hand in hand. One is always leaning on the other, listening to the other, and learning from the other.







They may look like they're just chillin', but these guys are planning to hit the books!



Going to class everyday, you guys, will make you healthy, wealthy, and wise.

everything we need to know is not in the books. For example, most of us probably know that in 1492 Columbus sailed the ocean blue. But how many of us know that Blacks were responsible for the South's political, social, and economic development? The same goes for our Economic textbooks. We learn a great deal about businesses, and what goes on inside them. We learn how they are started and how they profit. But how much do we know about black businesses? Not enough. That's why we were so glad to have black vendors on campus, to tell us more about their businesses. No matter what we do or where we go on campus, we always end up **LEARNING!**



There's nothing wrong with a little rest after a long days work.



# ACADEMIC SUCCESS IS



Sitting in the shade will help to cool this sizzling brain.



Write now. Revise later.



Feeling the fire  
But shaking off the heat  
The Marching Aggies soar higher  
They can't *smell* defeat.



"Oh, okay. I see."

# OUR BOILING POINT!!!



Vanessa, typing one of those "bomb" papers.

Man, it's just so hot I can't even put my hands on it! So I'll just sit back and watch you.



Bye ya'll, I'm outta here!



But I'm not!

Building  
A  
Strong  
Foundation  
Academics



# "Women, Reflections of the Past and Keepers of our Future"

## "Moving Forward with Science and Technology"



Pictured from left to right: Dr. Vallie Guthrie, Dr. Ronald O. Smith, Ms. Jamie Wiggins, Dr. Sharon Haynie.



Dr. Sharon Haynie speaks on the roles women will portray in the future.

Continued advances in science and technology will demand more technical skills and provide more opportunities. What role will women play in these advances and how do they prepare now for the future? Dr. Vallie Gunthrie, Director of Greensboro Area Mathematics & Science Education Center (GAMSEC) and NC A&T Professor was the moderator. Dr. Sharon Haynie was the speaker for the evening.

Dr. Haynie is the first African American woman to earn a Ph.D. in Chemistry at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT). She was reared in Baltimore, Maryland and she was educated in the Baltimore City Schools. She received her BA in Biochemistry from the University of Pennsylvania.

Sponsored by the office of Continuing Education and Summer Session, and the NASA Space Program on the campus of North Carolina A&T State University.

# HERE COMES THE





# MARCHING AGGIE MACHINE, Oh what melodious song they bring!



We interrupt this section to bring you a very important announcement . . .

## PRESS RELEASE

Unfortunately, we are unable to bring you the sound. So, if you'll please settle for the sights of *the one, the only BLUE FUNK.*



# Sailboating: A&T's New Sport

Need a P.E. class? Okay, an exciting P.E. class that will cool you off instead of leaving you so hot and sticky? Well, there just may be a solution, A&T's new sailboating class. The instructor is coach Dudka. The place is Lake Townshead. So if you've got the time for some smooth sailing, sign up now!



# GLOBAL AGGIES

These Global Aggies travelled overseas to the lovely cities of Paris, France and San Jose, Costa Rica. There, the students tested and strengthened their international communication skills. They also learned more about the cities than textbooks could ever tell them. The students enjoyed trying new foods and visiting "much talked about" sights such as Le Tour Eiffel in Paris, France.



NC A&T SU Summer Abroad Students in San Jose, Costa Rica.



Global Aggies return to tell a tale of two cities.

## AN AFTERNOON IN PARIS



# University Day

It's University Day! Students from Dare to Cherokee visited our campus to enjoy a day at A&T. They heard the Gospel Choir singing their hearts out, they saw the cheerleaders step off, and they saw the Blue and Gold Rush rip into the opposition again!



The cheerleaders continue to keep 'Aggie Pride' alive . . .

while Miss A&T, Jolletta Patrick, shows more than her smile during the event.



Even the generations to come know the true meaning of . . .



AGGIE

PRIDE!!!





The U.S. Department of Transportation held its Transportation Education Conference. This year's conference was held in Knoxville, Tennessee, October 28-29. A group of A&T Students, as well as several faculty members attended the conference. The theme was, "Building Transportation's Bridges to the 21st Century".



From left to right: Latonya Sibert, Anthony Hill, Tonya Hollingsworth, Joe Kelly, and Theo Letman



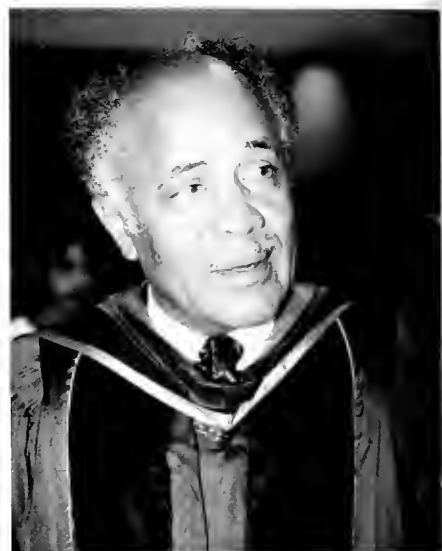
From left to right: Patricia Cass, Dr. Claude Barnes, Debra Underwood, Naomi Ledé, and Joyce Johnson



# GRADUATION: THE MOMENT

Chancellor Fort wishes much success to the Class of '96.

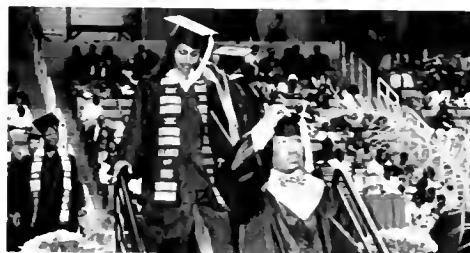
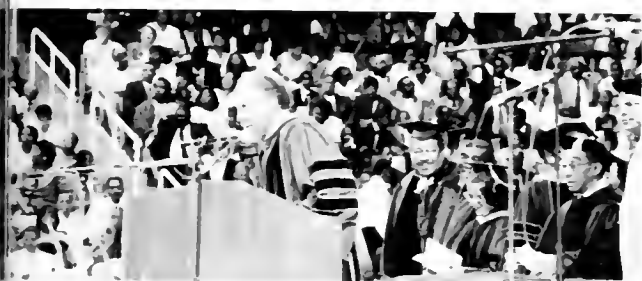
Salute to the Golden Grads.





# WE ARE ALL WAITING FOR

Education does not end in the afternoon; it does not end in the spring; it does not end until you do. — M. Dale Baughman

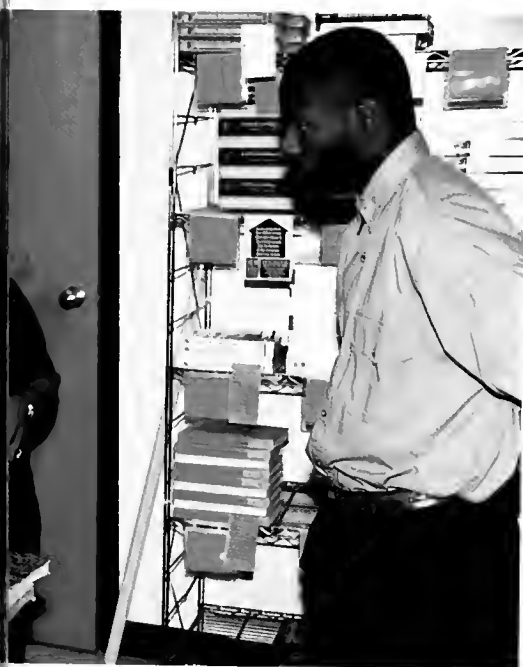


Congratulations to the  
Class of '96.



Both students and administrators strive for excellence in what we do. Determination, perseverance, and dreaming are key to achieving. Once again, only the Aggie survives.





Even through the fire, we were able to strive forward with the intentions to be better than before. Our determination has committed us as Aggies to accept, conquer, and defeat a challenge; and it's the same determination that explains why the Doors of Opportunity remain open.

**This year, the Ayantee staff met one of its biggest challenges. We were asked to bring you, the Aggies of North Carolina A&T State University, the fever, the fervor, the *FIRE* of our homecoming celebration. When we took the offer, we had no idea what would be expected of us. We knew that homecoming was going to be the bomb, but it was not only the bomb. It was droppin' more bombz — no warnings! It started on Monday night, as just a stick of dynamite, and by Saturday night, it was blowin' roofs. Once again, A&T had it goin' on! It was just too hot for us to handle, though, so all we have are these photos. Sorry, but we don't have any music from the Marching Aggie Machine or the Fugees, but we did our best. If you weren't there, well, just look at the photos long enough and maybe, just maybe, you will be able to feel the magic. If you *WERE* there, then — Remember when??!!**

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# CORONATION OF MISS INTERNATIONAL STUDENT ASSOCIATION:

*Debika Paynter  
(Bermuda)*



Miss ISA and her Court  
Art in motion



A Dance for the Diva



The audience listens to the beat of four drummer



These dancers introduce the crowd to the Rhythm of a Nation



Let the good times roll!



QUEENS,

QUEENS,

... AND MORE QUEENS.



Miss Curtis Hall, Shrona Wade, at her coronation.



Samantha Simmons, Miss New York/New Jersey Connection, and her court.



Miss Vanstory Hall, Kristie Harrington, and her hostesses Lee Whitener and Kim Walker.



Miss Raleigh Aggie Club, Tonya Egerton, poses before her coronation.



A dramatic presentation at the Midwest Aggie Coronation.

# THE SPIRIT OF AGGIE PRIDE:

All hail the queen! on Thursday, October 30, 1996 Joeletta Ontario Patrick, was crowned Miss North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University for the 1996-1997 school year. Taiwan Barksdale, Miss North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University 1995-1996, passed down the crown to Miss Patrick, who is a native of Greensboro, North Carolina.

This was a special night for Joeletta, and everyone aimed to make it a very memorable one for her. Several tributes were presented to Joeletta, including the mighty sounds of Fourtress and the NCA&TSU Gospel Choir.

Joeletta's performance left a lasting impression on the audience. The crowd sat mesmerized by her poise, grace, and her soliloquy entitled, "The Spirit of Aggie Pride: Reality, or just a Vision?"

All in all, it was a night to remember.



# REALITY, OR JUST A VISION?



# CHECK IT OUT



Queens of Color



2-4-6-8. Aggies do appreciate ALUMNI! Yes, yes alumni!

The Horseless Carriage



When I say Aggie, you say Pride!



Although it's Homecoming,



Here comes Gus. The big yellow bus!



Waiting for the next

AND  
TH-TH-TH  
TH-THAT'S  
NOT ALL  
FOLKS!

# IT'S SO-SO DEF!



The Blue and Gold Crush!!! That's right!



will you marry me?



andidate



Representing the International Students Association, their lovely queen and her escort.



It ain't over 'til the black lady sings.

# HOMEcoming '96!



# HOMECOMING '96:



WATCH OUT FOR THAT

Miss A&T, Joeletta Patrick, and her court



Marching Aggie Machine: IN EFFECT MODE

The JV Cheerleaders are ready to cheer those Aggies to victory!





# LIVE FROM AGGIELAND



Alumni, Jesse Jackson, Sr. and Jesse Jackson, Jr., home once again for the show-stopping event of the year: NCA&TSU HOMECOMING '96



Ooh, look at these Aggies! There's just no excuse for being that cute!

"Look at that Aggie; Feel that Fire".



Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Incorporated, celebrating their 70th anniversary

Homecoming '96 was like dynamite. The Aggies set it off on Tuesday night, and by Saturday EVERYONE in Aggie territory felt the sparks from the explosion. Once again, homecoming got us all fired up.

AGGIE FEVER . . . IT'S CATCHING



Former Mr. Aggie, Anthony Criss.

A man who really needs  
no introduction . . .

Mr. Rasheed  
— Ali  
Cromwell,  
SGA  
President.



Ms. Judy  
Rashid  
waits for  
the winner  
to be an-  
nounced.

Watch out  
now! It's  
the return  
of  
Dolemite.



# MR. AGGIE PAGEANT



1996-1997 Mr. Aggie, Alex Gray. Sponsored by the student Union Advisory Board, Mr. Aggie represents A&T with dignity and honor; "A true aggie man"



Mr. Joe Rucker, master of ceremonies.

One of our Qte contestants!



This year's crowd was lit up with much character.

# ASHFORD AND SIMPSON

## LIVE IN CONCERT



Ashford and Simpson entertain alumni and guests. Not only did they pose for our camera they also posed with Aggie Alumni. Ms. Maya Angelou also joined in the alumni celebration.



Ms. Obrie Smith, President of the University Foundation, enjoys the show.



Included in the Homecoming Week Festivities was the alumni concert featuring Nick Ashford and Valerie Simpson. The performance took place Friday, November 1 at the Koury Convention Center. Alumni and guest reminisced to hits including "Solid as a Rock".





One of many beautiful queens in our "Parade of the Stars."



Project Uplift, a community based program, is also represented.



Hayes-Taylor YMCA youth, sailing into the future.

## PARADE OF



Miss Bennett College and court, winner of the Student Government Award.



Miss SUAB, Toy Parker, and Mr. Aggie, Alex Gray.





Miss Women's Council and Court, winners of the Homecoming Committee Award.

Miss Rhomania, representing Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority Inc.



## THE STARS



The Alumni Band shows their "Aggie Pride" in the parade.



Miss Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc. and her court, winners of the Chancellor's Award.



Child Development Lab, winners of the Alumni Award.

# ITS D-D-D-D-DEF COMEDY YA'LL

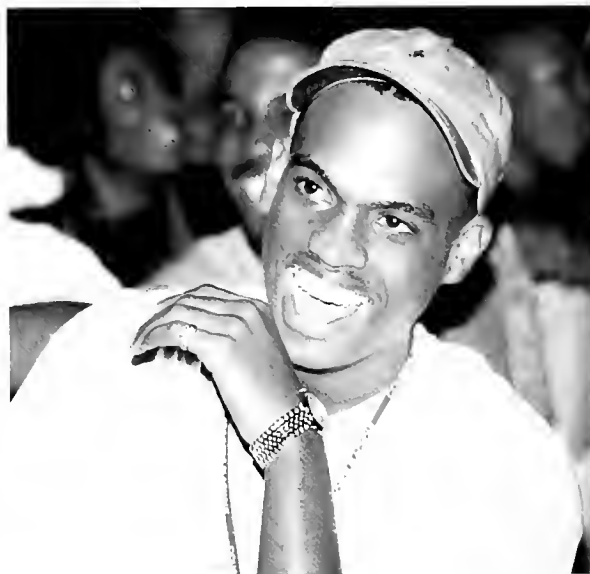
Not only was the comedy show full of laughs, but the CON-CERT was also enough to keep the tears flowing! **D.L. Hughley**, **Earthquake**, **Busta Rhymes**, **The Fugees**, and of course, our very own **Aggie** comic as well as several other special guests had us rollin'! If you were there, you can't deny it, because we were there and we saw you!



What do you mean that's not funny?



Ooh! I am  
so funny I  
cannot help  
myself!



H-ha! Ha! Ha! Haaaaah!



I'm getting paid to look like this.



Man, these are Aggies! We gotta be real, yo.

Yaah! Yaah! Yaah!



Soul Sista



Fugee Forever



Rappas by Nature





*Presenting . . .  
Miss Alpha Kappa Alpha 1996-1997  
Jennifer M. Lawson*



Miss Alpha Kappa Alpha, her court, and their escorts. Miss Pink Tea Rose — Natasha M. Turner,  
Miss 1908 — Reina J. Jones, Miss Alpha Phi — Eva A. Greene



## *A RARE SOPHISTICATION: BLACK PEARLS*

## THE DELTA LEGACY CONTINUES:



Miss Delta Sigma Theta 1994-1995, Aquarius Moore, crowns Holly Reid, Miss Delta Sigma Theta 1996-1997.

*"Shaping to  
its Purpose"*



*Presenting . . . Miss Delta Sigma Theta 1996-1997, Holly Reid*



Miss Delta Sigma Theta's Court.  
(from left to right)  
Miss Crimson: Shirika Wallace  
Miss Cream: Ayana Roberts  
Miss Alpha Mu: Felicia Bittle



## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Mr Aggie  
Cornell Gray  
Rudiah Pinckney



Miss Aggie Photographic Society  
Crystal Baldwin  
Cedric Combo



Miss Aggie Toastmasters  
Jill Worthy  
Tyrone Norwood



Miss ALOBEAM  
Shani LeBlanc  
Timothy Merritt



Miss Alpha Epsilon  
Keli Christopher  
Desmond Sharpe



Miss Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority, Inc  
Jennifer Lawson  
Quincy Ward



Miss Alpha Lambda Delta  
Wendy Wilson  
William Wilkins



Miss Alpha Pi Mu  
Mia Purcell  
Keeyonn Dunlop



Miss American Agricultural  
Economics Association  
Latrice McKoy  
Desmond Thompson



## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss American Chemical Society

Maria Dupree  
Derrick Blalock



Miss American Institute of  
Chemical Engineers

Ayanna Moseley  
Keith Sanders



Miss American Marketing Association

Deidre Dunbar  
Damien Thomas



Miss American Society of  
Agricultural Engineers

Kenya Goins  
Douglas Daniels



Miss ASHRAE

Norika Oliver  
Christopher Cook



Miss Apostolic Student Outreach

Tomeka Terry  
Jason Garward



Miss Army ROTC

Laleta Dobbs  
Carlos Coppins



Miss Art Circle

Yvette Baldwin  
Donnie Alston



Miss Associated General Contractors  
of America

Bridgett Herring  
Tonie Harris

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss Association for Computing Machinery

Shemeka Dixon  
Bobby Blanks



Miss Barbee Hall

Heather Yates  
Tyrone Fountain



Miss Beta Alpha Psi Accounting Fraternity

Katrina Martin  
Cedric Jessup



Miss Biology Club

Teresa McMillan  
Andre Perkins



Miss Burlington Aggie Club

Lotticia Mack  
Ron Baxter



Miss Chi Eta Phi Sorority, Inc.

April Pearson  
Ricky Francisco



Miss Curtis Hall

Shrona Wade  
Rodney Styles



Miss Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc

Holly Reid  
Tremain Davis



Miss Durham Aggie Club

LaShandra Scott  
Lee Moyer

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss English Club  
Laurinda Hill  
Gerald Austin



Miss Environmental Science Club  
Aldea Douglas  
Michael Regan



Miss Epsilon Pi Tau  
Angela Williams  
Jarmaine Knight



Miss Fellowship of Christian Students  
Shewana Skinner  
Mark Murphy



Miss Financial Management Association  
LaKrystal Sanders  
Brandon Bennett



Miss French Club  
Rukiyah Abdullah  
Eddie Kornegay



Miss Future Administrative  
Executives of America  
Letasha Montague  
Andre Williams



Miss Georgia Aggie Club  
Jamila Kemp  
Robert Ward



Miss Golden Key National Honor Society  
Kelly Evans  
Ronnie Isaac

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss Graduate Engineering Student Alliance  
Valerie McLaughlin  
Richard Windley



Miss Greensboro Aggie Club  
Tetnika Williamson  
Hassan Wade



Miss Haley Hall  
LaTonya Ellis  
Demetrius Ellis



Miss Halifax & Northampton Aggie Club  
Aimee Bass  
Kendall Richardson



Miss Holland Hall  
Andreana Williams  
Shawn Cole



Miss Holt & Gamble Hall  
Shayla Dove  
Michael Looney



Miss Human Environment & Family Science  
Tiffany Holloway  
Thaddeus Alston

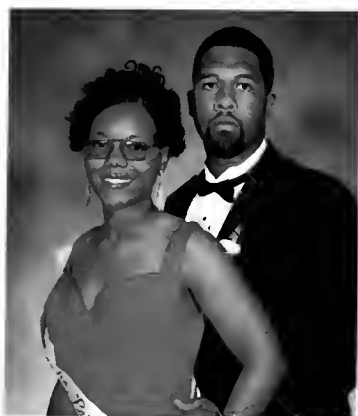


Miss Institute of Industrial Engineers  
Tonia Gofoe  
Michael Palma



Miss Institute of Electrical &  
Electronic Engineers  
Donna Sexton  
Andre Wright

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity, Inc  
Aisha Robinson  
Gerard Bridgers



Miss Lee Aggie Club  
Shawanna Bendolph  
Terraine Small



Miss Maryland Metro Aggie Club  
Traci Hatch  
Robert King



Miss Mathematical Association of America  
Trena Covington  
Christopher Bentley



Miss Midwest Aggie Club  
Nicole Price  
Nathan Ingran



Miss MANRRS  
Bailey Turner  
Raymond Turner



Miss Mo-Del Unique, Inc  
Kia Hale  
Michael Broadway



Miss Morrison Hall  
Quenshanta Robinson  
Donte Moore



Miss Morrow Hall  
Janesha Corpeneing  
Kwame Fosu

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss National Agri-Marketing Association

Kristie Wright  
Jerrell Jenkins



Miss National Association of  
Industrial Technology

Ayanna Browne  
Fred Shepard



Miss NOBCCHE

Ojuwana Lindsey  
Corey Scott



Miss National Society of  
Architectural Engineers

Cleopatrice Lacy  
Deyone Robinson



Miss Tau Beta Pi

Veronica Faison  
Paul Thorpe III



Miss NSNBPMC, Inc.

Treena Ford  
Myron Powell



Miss National Society of Pershing Angels

Crystal Armour  
David Moulder



Miss National Society of Pershing Rifles

Maisha Pajardo  
Walter Stancil



Miss Network '90

Cecilia Holmes  
Jason Flennoy



## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss New Generation Campus Ministries

Angie Earley  
Jeffery Newman



Miss New York & New Jersey Connection

Samantha Simmons  
Ashley Dickenson



Miss NC A & T Fellowship Gospel Choir

LaWana Wilcots  
Ricardo Hicks



Miss A & T State University Choir

Shenae Dent  
Jamel Harris



Miss Omega Chi Epsilon

Cheryl Smith  
Benjamin Kraft



Miss Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc.

Alexandria Delotch  
David Horton



Miss Peer Advisor Leadership

Jewel Bethea  
Larry Bethea, Jr.



Miss Pennsylvania Aggie Club

Gabrielle Hurtt  
Timothy Siler



Miss Political Science

Derri Lassiter  
Ronald Rogers

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss Port City Aggie Club  
Avery Herring  
Cedron Emerson



Miss Pre-Veterinary Club  
Robyn Johnson  
Jelani Favors



Miss Project Reach  
Kisa LeLoney  
Major Cowan III



Miss Psi Chi  
Cessel Boyd  
Joseph Rucker, Jr.



Miss Psychology Club  
Dionesia Whidbee  
Demetrius McDuffie



Miss Pyramid Drafting & Design Society  
Kathleen Harrell  
Otis Mapson



Miss Queen City Aggie Club  
LaDaira Long  
Chris Hill



Miss Raleigh Aggie Club  
Tonya Egerton  
Earl Norton



Miss Resident Assistant Association  
Kim Walker  
Corrie Raiford

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss Richard B. Harrison Players  
Jamicka Green  
Demetrius Morgan



Miss Rocky Mount Aggie Club  
Sara Boddie  
Robert Wooten



Miss Sigma Gamma Rho Sorority, Inc.  
Sonja Eley  
James Fernanders



Miss Society for Human  
Resource Management  
Dawn Graves  
Marlon Monroe



Miss Society for the  
Advancement of Management  
LeTonya Washington  
Bryan Thomas



Miss Society of Automotive Engineers  
Wanita Dunston  
Keith Ellis



Miss Society of Manufacturing Engineers  
Erika Simon  
Damon Wade



Miss Society of Women Engineers  
TaShara Bailey  
Balla H. Keito



Miss Sociology & Social Work  
Janel Farrington  
William Taylor

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss South Carolina Aggie Club  
Melissa Murdock  
Anthony Dick



Miss Student Council for  
Exceptional Children  
Lakisha Shepherd  
Darrell Wilkerson



Miss Students In Free Enterprise  
Tasha Reid-Strong  
Cory Strong



Miss Student National Education Association  
Deanna Foskey  
Brian McCain



Miss Student Union Advisory Board  
Toy Parker  
Edwin Timberlake



Miss National Society of Black Engineers  
Ebony Cash  
Marcus Tillman



Technology Education Collegiate  
Association  
Dedria Davis  
Derrick Eley



Miss Teaching Fellows  
Sanchia Spoons  
Kimani Stewart



Miss United Christian Fellowship  
Nakeya Hardin  
Shondell Harris

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss Vanstory Hall  
Kristie Harrington  
Paul Hart



Miss Virginia Aggie Club  
Cheryl Wilson  
Alex Peake



Miss Wesley Christian Fellowship Choir  
Chastiny Thomas  
Roderick Meadows



Miss Winston-Salem Aggie Club  
Charlette Butler  
Damon Wade



Miss Women's Council  
Deana Lacy  
Carl McQuitty



Miss Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.  
Teriyaki Garner  
James Raleigh



Miss American Society of  
Mechanical Engineers  
Naschica Sanders  
Anthony Taylor



Miss Crystal Coast Aggie Club  
Elenia Virgin  
Marcus Washington



Miss Henry E. Frye Law Society  
Tosh Irby  
Frank Robinson

## Organizational Queens, Kings & Escorts



Miss HPER  
Nisha Watson  
Kimani Stewart



Miss Rich Allen Mt. Zion Club  
Nefertiti Pridgen  
Tim Siler



Miss SAMPE  
Ariadne Degarr  
Malcolm Boney



Miss Senior  
Sherrelle Harris



Miss Junior  
Tiffany Fuller

## Class Queens



Miss Sophomore  
Christie Lyles



Miss Freshman  
April January



# AggieLand '90

YO, MAN THE FUGEES  
ARE HERE?

READY OR NOT  
HERE WE  
COME!

NOW  
ENTERING  
NCAETSU

I KNOW YOU HAD TO  
FIND A PARKING SPACE  
BUT THIS IS  
RIDICULOUS!

ARIZONA STATE



AGGIE PRIDE!!!



# *An Evening of Sheer Elegance and Sophistication*



Mr. Duane Nash is happy to announce Miss SUAB 1996-1997, Toy Latarsha Parker.



The Coronation of Miss SUAB 1996-97  
Miss Toy Latarsha Parker  
Memorial Student Union Ballroom  
North Carolina A&T State University

*Introducing . . . Miss Toy Latarsha Parker,*



The expression is definitely louder than words for Candace Drummond, Shakia Gee, Rekyiah Muhammad, and Angela Wills.



Ms. Rashid, the Advisor of the Student Union Advisory Board, congratulates Miss SUAB during the ceremony.

# Miss Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc.

Teriyaki C. Garner  
Miss Zeta Phi Beta 1996-1997



Miss Zeta Phi Beta is all smiles while being escorted by Mr. James Raleigh.



Miss Zeta Phi Beta's Court.

Miss Zeta Phi Beta 1995-1996 takes her last walk before she crowns Miss Zeta Phi Beta 1996-1997.



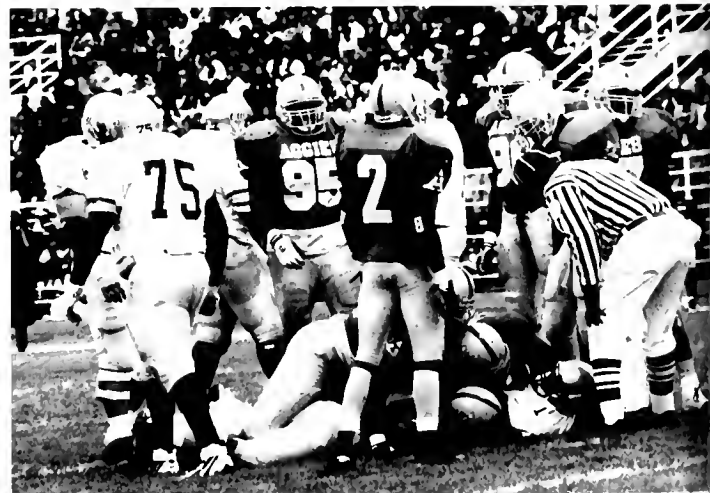
# IF YOU CAN'T STAND THE HEAT,



## AGGIES WILDCATS

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Our boys showed out this time. They did, they really did! As for those wildcats, oh well, like moths to a flame, burned by the fire, they got beat down, and the Aggies soared higher.



GET OUT OF OUR  
HOUSE!



HAAAY A&T IS  
THE BOOOMB!



V-I-C-T-O-R-Y.  
Victory, forever  
our cry.

GOLD RUSH '96

# WATCH OUT AS THE GREEKS



OFF!!  
STEP

Winners of the Homecoming '96 STOMP FEST:  
ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC.



Shanese Credle, part of the AKA Rhythm Nation



Want to be like Greek





mon, Let's Get  
down, Let's Get D-O-  
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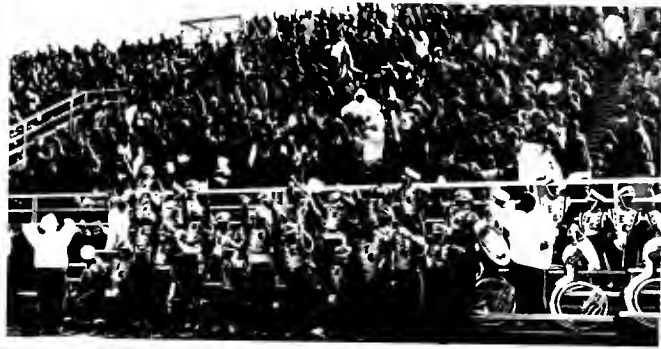


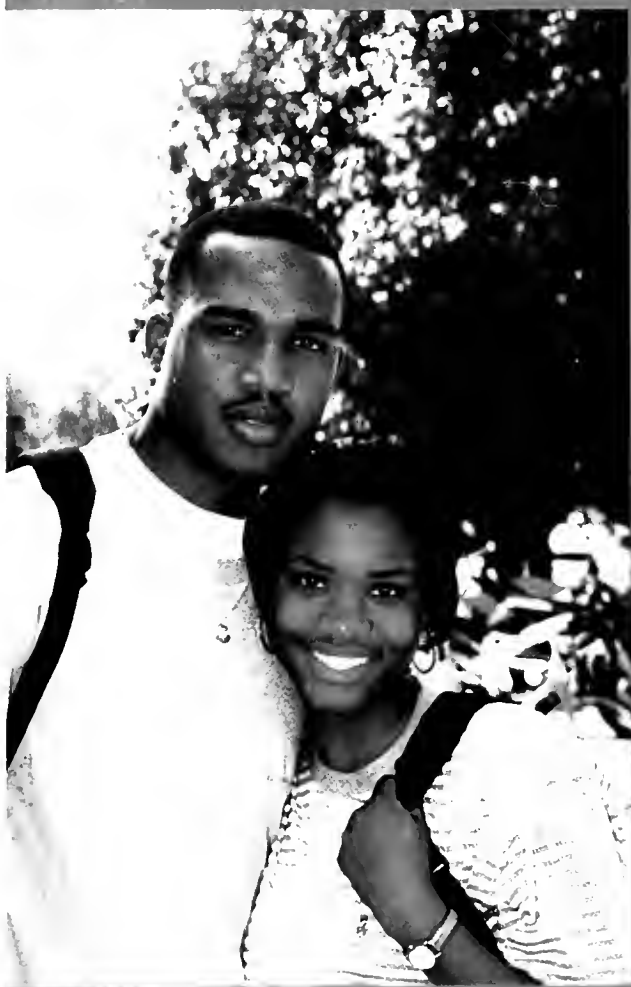
# Time OUT



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# RED HOT SUMMER

Pops may have just about had

Hay, Karla's got her groove back!



The cafe's not open, but we're still getting our grub on.



Is moving in the worst part of the school year or what?

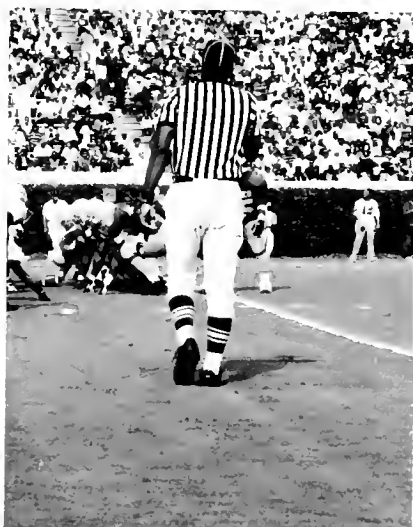
Yeah, everything's



# IN AGGIELAND

What you see is what you get.

enough for one day.



Pizza! Pizza!



ood on this scene.



A Tribe Called Quest visits the Aggies.



Grab your campus paks with soap, deodorant, after-shave — the whole nine!

# ONCE AGAIN, AGGIES

Once more, the Aggies have proven to be top dawgs on the field. They ripped into the Eagles, bringing yet another victory home to Greensboro, N.C. Eagles, we'll tell you once more, "You gotta move over."



# REIGN SUPREME

## AGGIE — EAGLE CLASSIC '96

AGGIES 38  
EAGLES 31



# ENJOYING ALL THAT

Campus life is great! Just imagine, you get to go to class, assemble with your leaders in the ballroom, chill out with your friends at the snack bar, play cards with the guys, cook out on the lawn, and even hang out at the Bowl for a Greek stepshow. What's even better is it's all happening in your own backyard! What more could you ask for?



# A&T HAS TO OFFER





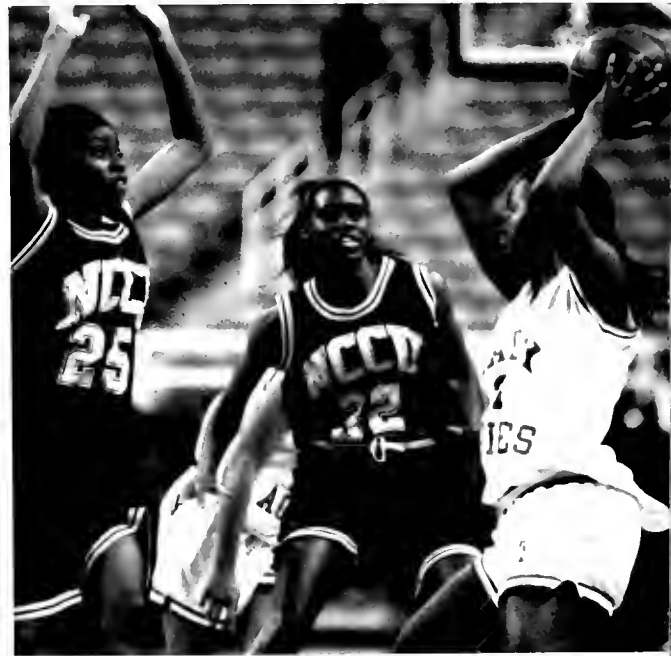


Just let us know when you're ready.



She said what????

NCA & T VS NCCU  
 LADY AGGIES 63  
 LADY EAGLES 35



No, girlfriend. You just THINK you've got me concerned.



All right, ya'll. Let's do this!





Black girls can jump!



Lady Aggies shut out the Eagles.



I want you!



Time out for the Aggies.

# REMEMBER



No! It's just an extra-large band-aid.

What do you do when you're studying with someone and neither of you has the answer?



Listenin' to my jams now, so I'll rap with y later.

Above the rim at Moore Gym.



# WHEN???!!!



What are you talking about girl?!



I'm gettin' my grub on man! Do you mind?!



Wait a minute . . . this is going in the year-book??!!

Say what?!



Keep Hope Alive! Vote! 1996 . . . Election Year . . . Harvey Gantt. Does it ring a bell yet? Voting was a primary concern in Aggieland during '96. SGA members, Delta Sigma Theta Sorority Inc. and Omega Psi Phi Fraternity Inc. are just a few of the organizations that encouraged Aggies to keep hope alive by voting. NCA&T alumnus and former presidential candidate, Jesse Jackson also encouraged Aggies to vote.



"Affirmative action is a majority issue, not a minority issue."

The Rev. Jesse Jackson spoke to the Aggies in Williams Cafeteria during the month of October about the "power in registered voters". Rev. Jackson mentioned several excellent points, and offered words of wisdom that will never be forgotten. Jackson said, "Hands that once picked tobacco, picked cotton, can now pick a US Senator". He also said, that, Contrary to popular belief, most poor people are not on welfare, they work EVERYDAY."

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"The new America should not be about black and white, but wrong and right."



TC, Rev. Jackson, SGA President Cromwell, US Rep. Watt, Miss A&T

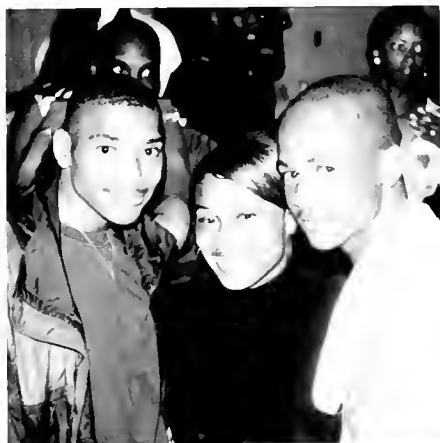


## My Heroes

There are many,  
with you may have no clue,  
like Martin Luther King and Medgar Evers — Just to name a few,  
who fought for freedom for generations to come,  
who were brave and died for some,  
who were the first to break the marks,  
The first to break the marks,  
The first to break the marks,  
Lifted up — they have choices,  
Malcolm X and Martin Luther King, Jr.,  
None of them were perfect,  
For with all their flaws, you be?  
Uneducated, untrained,  
Resting from their labors,  
Smackin' on their backs,  
They stood tall and fought for our freedom,  
Then, when we had education,  
They were put up on your shelf,  
Used only for reports,  
My heroes are deep inside,  
Show some pride,  
Your purpose fall apart,  
For my heroes are your heroes too!



# SEVENTIES' COFFEE HOUSE



The trends of the seventies are rapidly making their way into the nineties. The clothing, music, and hair of the seventies are just a few of the fashions being imitated by nineties' girls and guys. Fluorescent colors, mini skirts, and afros are back on the fashion list, and are neck to neck with designers such as Calvin Klein, Nautica, Guess, and Girbaud.

He likes the way you work it.



This hairstyle, very popular in the '70s is also worn by sistas now.



Hey, Mr. DJ.

They promised us the next dance.







These superfly brothers are about to go get their mac on.

It doesn't always take two.



At the coffee house, everyone's an old friend.



Mr. Cool and his Gang

mon ride it! The Sooooul  
rain!!!



Fly Females with Fashion  
Sense





Aquaris Moore jokes with Keisha about her man-to-be.

*It's Friday nite. And you're home along — AGAIN! It's just you, the remote, and a big bag of Pop Secret. And all of you are just sitting there staring at one another. Then you realize it's time for you to get a date. Go out. Have fun. It's time for you to play . . .*



Two's company

## SINGLED OUT!



Wait a minute. Can't you see I'm eating??!!

Softly Styled  
or Wet 'n'  
Wild?





Ooh girlz! Look at all of these SINGLE men!



"Well, they say good things come in small packages. I think I prefer the 'Li'l Lump.'"



'Someday my prince will come.'

Aw, man. She trippin', she just trippin'!



You know, I hate to eat and run, but that's what I'm about to do.

# SAY "AGGIE"



Make sure you get my good side.



I suggest you get your own.

I wonder if it's too late to drop?



Alright, I got another one I want you to try.



Okay, one picture and I'm going to class.

Girl it's Friday, I just aced my test, so I'm 'bout to be out.



Proud to be Aggie!



Everybody loves being an Aggie — EVERYBODY!

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Proud to be part of the family.



Aggie Pride is Alive.

Aggie + Pride  $\Rightarrow$  Aggie Smiles



Peace, Love, and Aggiehood.





# ONCE UPON A TIME



There was a place where we used to chill

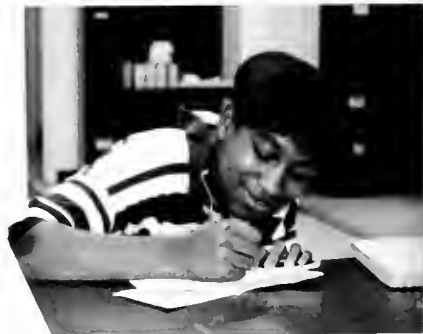
Where we had that Aggie fever



Whether we were alone



Whether we were at work



Or with friends

## THE



# IN NINETY-SIX

that always  
burned within  
us



and warmed our souls



wherever we went.



Or at play



Our fun NEVER stopped



And our energy, like the morning sun,  
radiated our territory.

## END.

## THE HOMEPLE

When I walk the path through  
there is only a soft light  
in the still air  
I am  
and the world is here  
to witness my presence.

May while the wind  
through the branches —  
reaches groundfall.  
The bell of honeysuckle  
casts itself on the air  
and the quail rove the slope-weeds.  
I will not let go.

I am my great-grandfather  
and these woods through daylight.  
I have known since boyhood.  
I am for this homeplace —  
I wish to grow old  
without words  
in the world  
I am.

I can hear the bark  
somewhere in the far distance  
where the trees are life  
do not speak, the trees  
into themselves, a breath of saints.  
We are this fresh air  
which cradles every

Submitted by Lenard D. Moore, English Literature

# Firestarters

100° Celsius	130-160
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Erica Adams  
Psychology



Richard Albright  
Psychology



Tiffany Alexander  
Biology



Clara Allen  
Electronics Technology



Antoine Alston  
Agricultural Education



Charles Alston  
Elementary Education



Thadeus Alston  
Elementary Education



Saunya Amos  
Mechanical Engineering



Sharon Amos  
Industrial Technology



Janaia Anderson  
Elementary Education



Shuronica  
Anderson  
Lab. Animal Science



Shelly Angus  
Business Management



Michael Armstrong  
Electrical Engineering



Stacey Arnold  
Accounting



Rico Artis  
Computer Science



Tyson Ashe  
Special Education



Tiffany Askew  
Marketing



Henry Austin  
Business/Finance



Lawanda Avery  
Nursing



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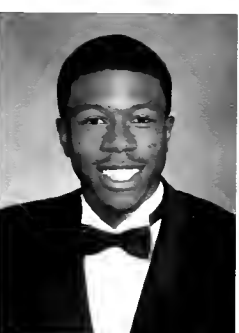
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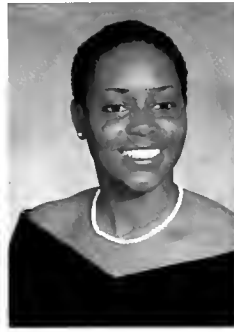




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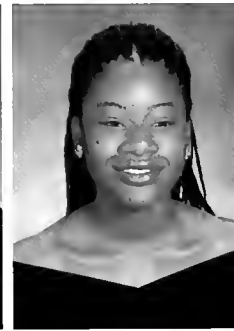
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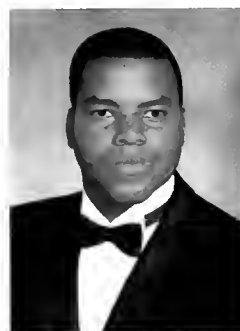
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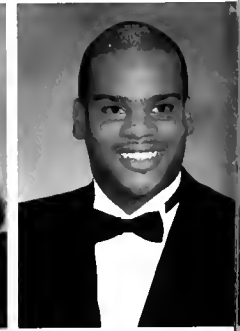
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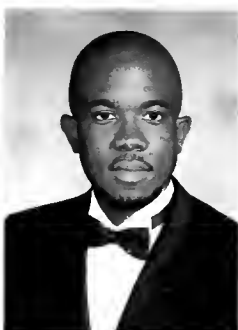
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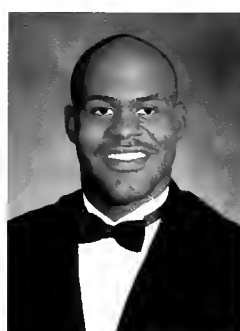
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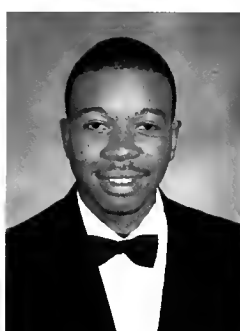
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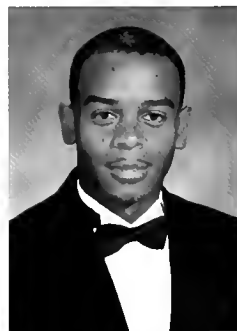
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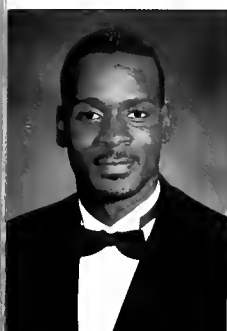
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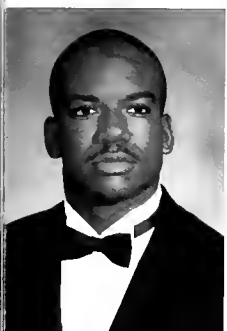
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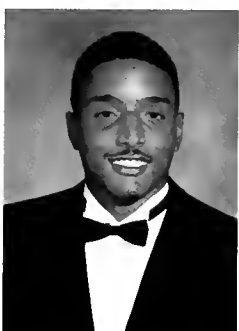
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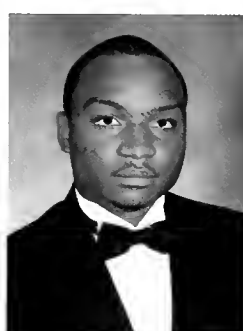
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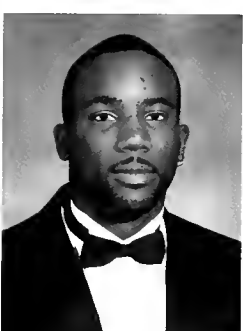
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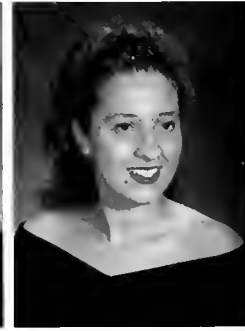
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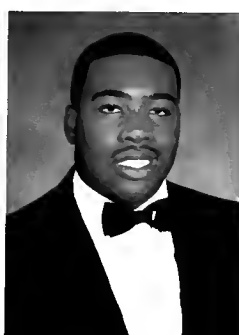
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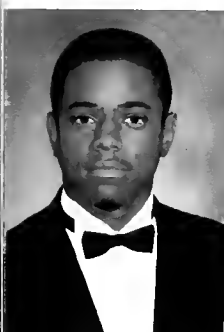
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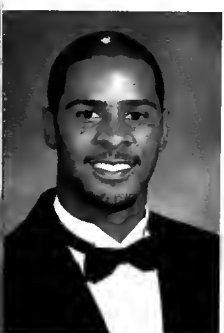
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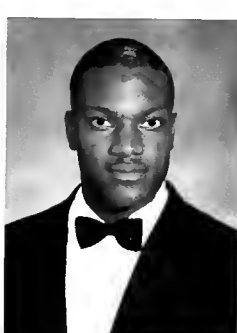
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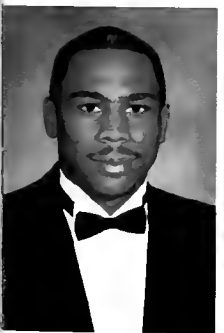
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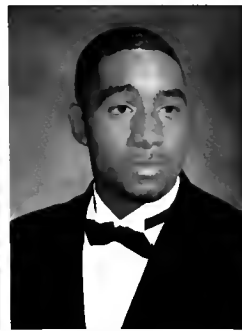
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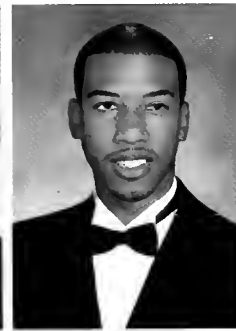
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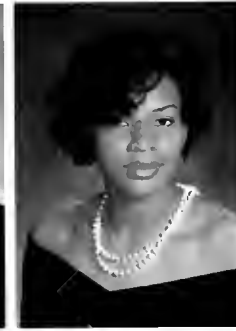
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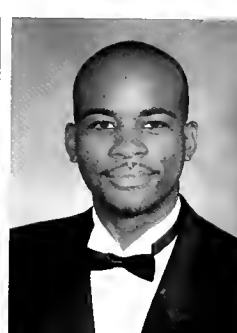
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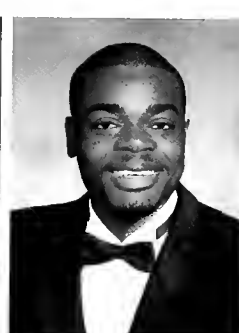
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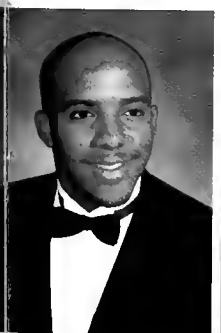
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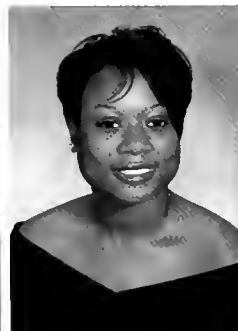
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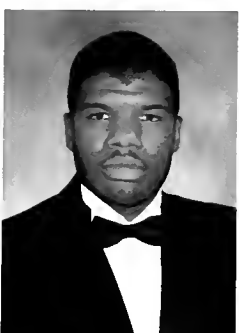
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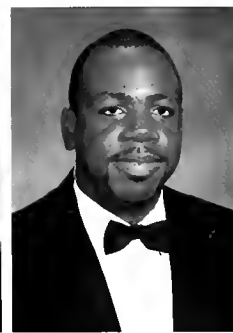
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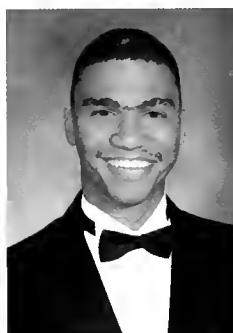
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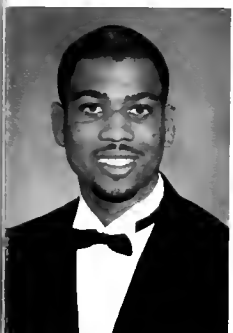
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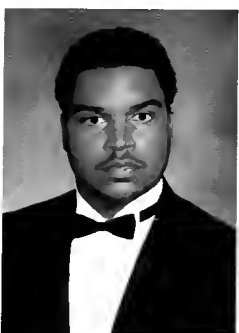
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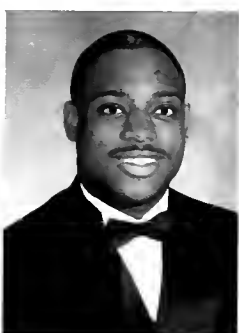
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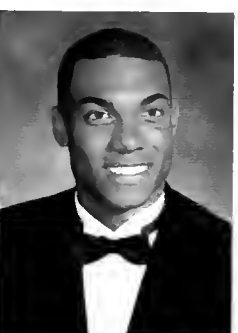
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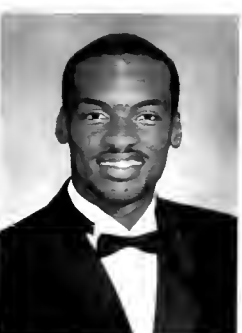
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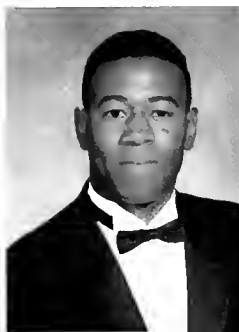
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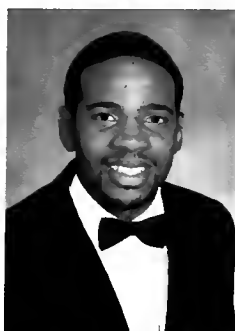


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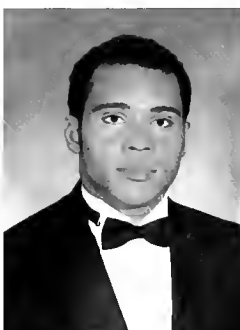
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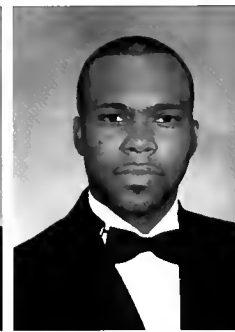
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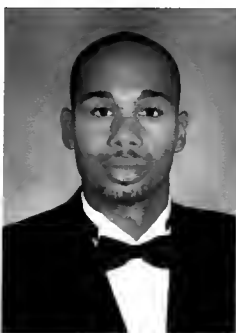
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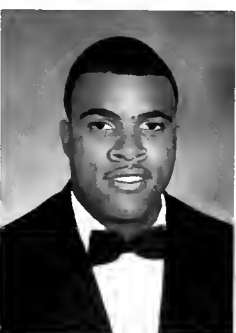
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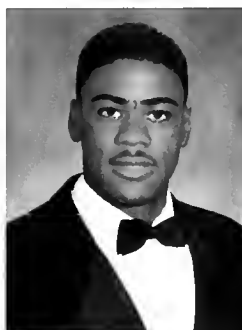
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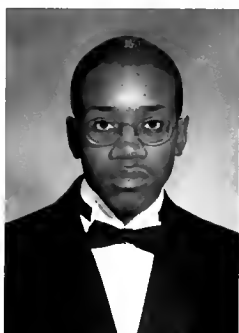
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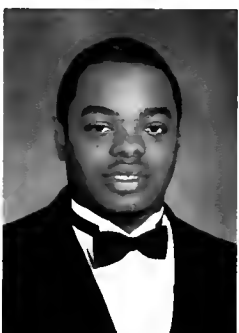
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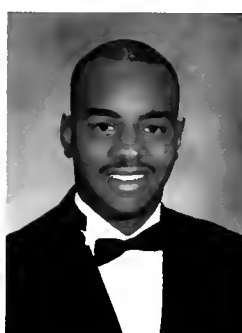
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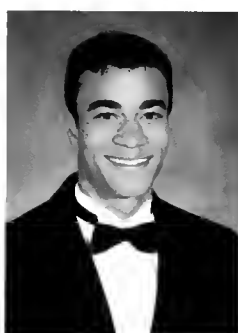
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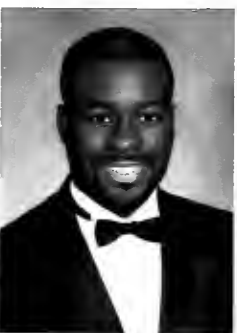
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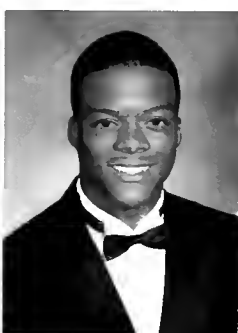
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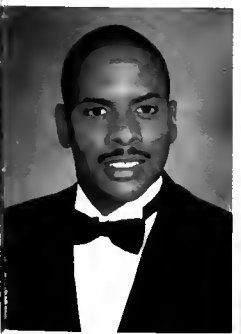
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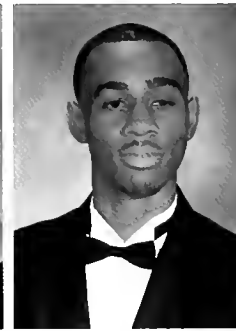
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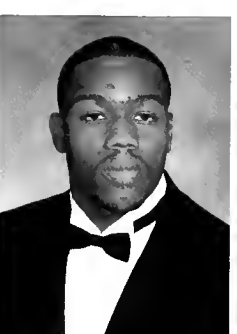
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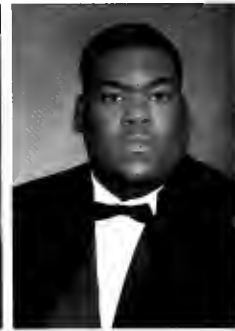
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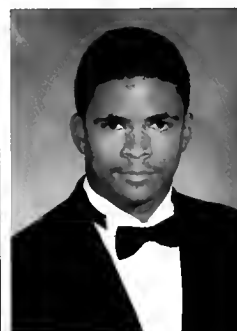
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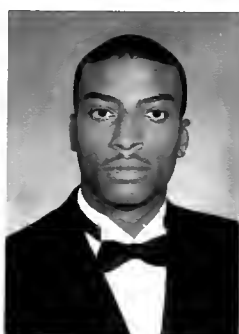
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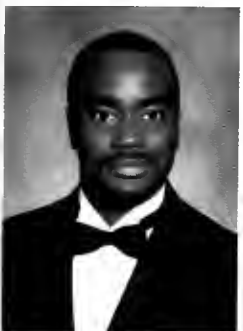
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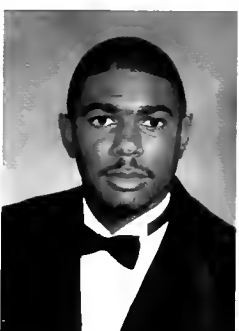
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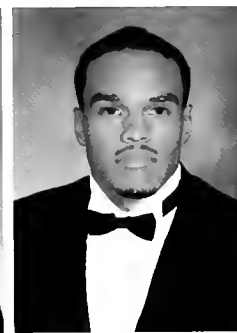
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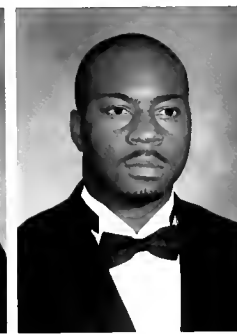
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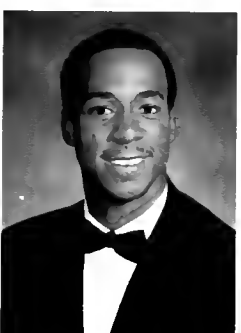
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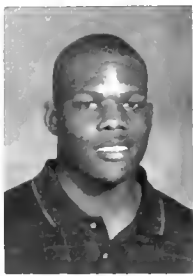
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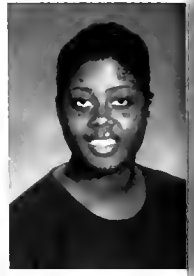
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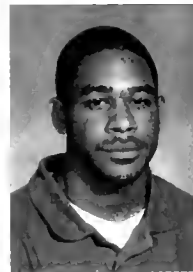
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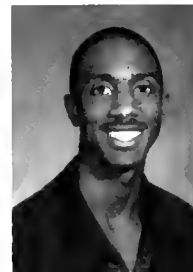
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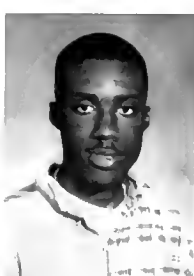
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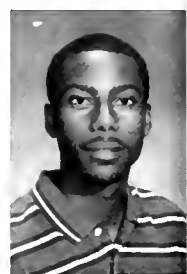
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Clinton Williams



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## Junior Class Officers



From left to right): Dana Coles — Secretary; Camille Banks — President; Chandra Shackleford — Vice President; Talia Nesbitt — Treasurer  
(not pictured): Tiffany Fuller — Miss Junior



## Untitled

There ain't but one good thing about the South.  
The rich brown soil, the dew-filled grass, the monstrous old oaks,  
Ripe, red tomatoes and watermelons in the summer.  
Boys and girls running back and forth,  
Toting apples, pears, peaches, and plums,  
Picked from the fruit trees in grandma's back yard,  
Where they've frolicked all summer long,  
Rushing to get back "home,"

To Brooklyn,

To Philly,

To Boston,

To see their friends,

And tell them of their horseback rides,

And midnight dips in the lake.

Yet reluctant,

To go back to

The smoke-filled air, that blackens the breath of babes,

And the sirens, that interrupt sleep and late-night shows.

So different from the Carolinas,

The Carolinas, so far away from "home."

There ain't but one good thing about the South.

Submitted by Shannon Outlaw, junior Professional English

**CAUGHT IN THE FLAMES**

**CLASSES OF 1999**



Anthony Adams



Valerie Alston



Vaughnery Ammons



Damion Bailey



Jacqueline Baldwin



Eric Banks



Akisha Baskerville



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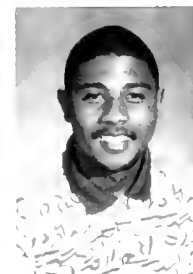
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Tonia Dudley



Kevin Ellis



Karema Elmwood



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Robert Florence



Treena Ford



Joy Franklin



Monica Fuller



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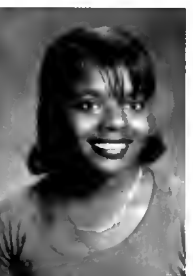
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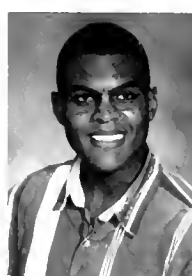
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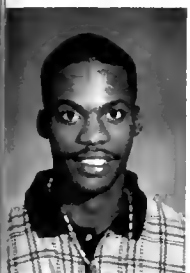
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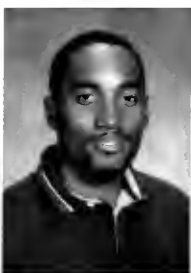
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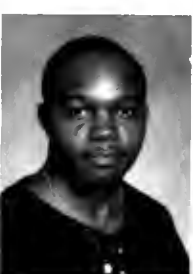
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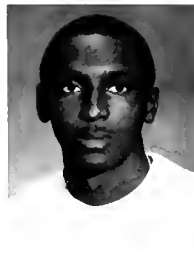
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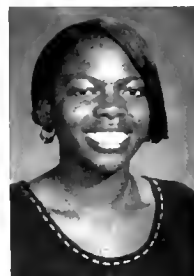
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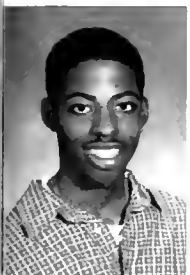
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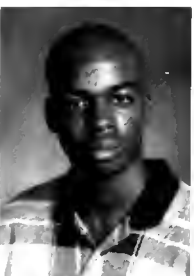
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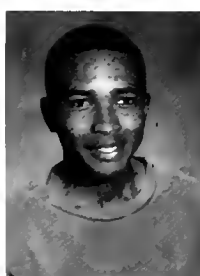
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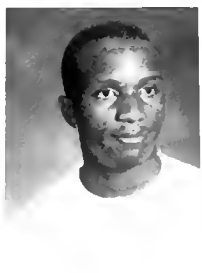
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Tameka Tolliver



Dawn Weaver



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Richard Wilson



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Kellye Worth

# LET'S HEAR IT FOR THE FRESHMEN!

Freshmen are on the mic! You heard it right. Last summer, during Freshmen Orientation Week, NCA&T's incoming freshmen showed out at the step and talent show. These guys got the party started, and ended it with a bang!



# Freshmen Class Officers



President — Tyrone Aiken  
Vice President — Andre Braggs  
Secretary — Mashawna Dowell  
Treasurer — Ebony Powers  
Miss Freshman — April January



Tyrone Aiken, President



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Mashawna Dowell, Secretary



Ebony Powers, Treasurer



The contestants welcome the audience with a dance.

This contestant dances as part of the talent competition.

## MISS BLACK NORTH CAROLINA SCHOLARSHIP PAGEANT



North Carolina A&T was proud to host the Miss Black North Carolina Scholarship Pageant this year. Four Aggies participated in the event; each of them did very well. The pageant presented young, black, college women striving to become successful career women. This pageant is held to recognize and reward these young women who will not only make a difference in their careers, but in their communities as well.



The  
Final  
Four



# MISS COLLEGIATE AFRICAN AMERICAN



The beautiful, Jaye Princess "Nmekea" Watkins, Miss Texas Southern University and newly crowned 1996 Miss Collegiate African-American Pageant (MCAAP) winner. She was crowned during Pro-Line Hair Product's two-hour televised presentation of the 1996 Miss Collegiate African-American Pageant, which was hosted by celebrity stars Kristoff St. John and Jasmine Guy. MCAAP was taped on June 22nd at NBC Studios, Burbank, CA. (Photo by Andre Murray).

# BLACK POLITICIANS IN ACTION



As November 5, 1996 approaches, politicians and voters prepare for election day through campaigns, debates, and other political forums. Harvey Gantt, a candidate for the 1996 U.S. Senate, asked for political support from the Aggies during his campaign. Gantt expressed his views on funding for education as the economic welfare of the community in general. SGA President Rasheed-Ali Cromwell and Representative Alma Adams also spoke at the event.





## LOST BOYZ

AS  
BAD  
AS  
THE  
BEST!

"Jeeps,  
Lex  
Coupes,  
Beemers,  
and  
Benz"  
"Renee"  
"Get  
Money"



Lost Boyz just chillin' after the show.



The Notorious B.I.G. "Nothing Small about Him"

Springfest '96 was da bomb! The show was phat, and all of that. Rappers set the roof on fire steppin' to the mic with untouchable lyrics. Of course, the Notorius B.I.G. aka Biggie Smalls was the one that really got the party started!



BRO' MAN, COMING  
AT CHA FROM THE  
FIFTH FLO'



Lil' Kim & her crew



All Eyez on Me!

# SPRINGFEST '96



Eric Benet signs his John Hancock on a poster for an Aggie Fan.



Can you sign this one for me puhlease?

Okay, just this



Benet and fans.



Everyone's having fun this Saturday night.

Is HE the cutest  
one of them all?





# SPARKLING STARS



I can't *believe* I am sitting next to him, but I'm cool, really I am.



Okay, just this once.

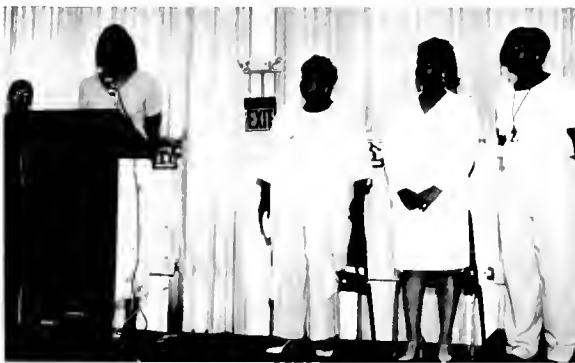
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Keepin' it real in the nine-six.

# HALEY VISITS THE AGGIES



The Aggies were very honored to have Lydia Haley daughter of Alex Haley, on our campus.



## GRANT ON "THE BEST KIND OF LOVING"

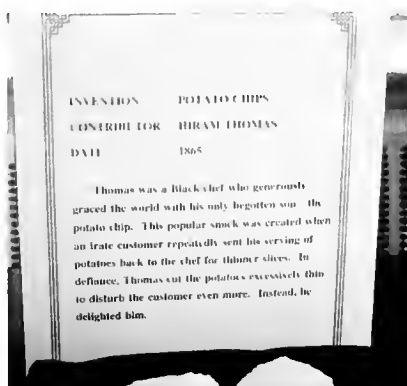


Dr. Gwendolyn Goldsby Grant, author of *The Best Kind of Loving*, educates the Aggies on how to take better care of our bodies and ourselves. Dr. Grant discussed the major health problems of women today, and instructed us on how women can better cope physically and mentally in a changing society. Dr. Grant also explained how spirituality and faith had an effect on the healing of our bodies. After the presentation, she signed and sold books.

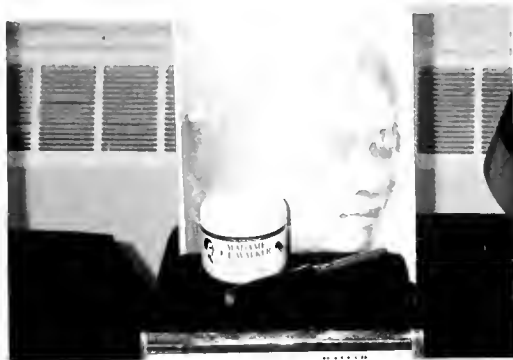
Dr. Grant is an advice columnist for *Essence* magazine. She has also hosted a mental health radio talk show. She has appeared on several televised talk shows including, Montel Williams, Rolanda, Jenny Jones, and Oprah.

# BLACK INVENTORS: THE BEST KEPT SECRET

"Betcha can't eat just one!" Does this sound familiar? Thanks to Hiram Thomas, a black inventor, we can enjoy the crunch of potato chips.



Ajax, peanut butter, and the egg beater were all created by a black inventor. The average housewife would be gracious to this "lifesaver."



Thank you, Madame! Madame C.J. Walker, an African-American woman, invented the straightening comb. Used widely in beauty salons and homes today, it is surely a prized possession.



Many of us are familiar with the supersoaker. How many of us are familiar with the fact that it owes its popularity to this black inventor?

Garrett Morgan invented the stoplight. What a relief!

# AGGIES SUPPORT BLACK BUSINESSES



Black vendors set up their products in the Student Union ballroom to participate in Vendor Village. At this event, students bought T-shirts, tapes, and perfume from black vendors and sported them on campus. This event encouraged the booming of black businesses and educated students on the importance of supporting them. Much luck to black businesses in the future!



# Phenomenal, Phenomenal Women



What kind of woman is she? Dynamic, energetic, intelligent, elegant. Aggie women come in all shapes and sizes; they have their own personalities — whether they be quiet, outgoing, collected, or dramatic. However, they represent as one. The fellas say they like Aggie women because of their charm, enthusiasm, and wit. We must all agree — there's nothing like that phenomenal Aggie woman. Look high and low, near or far, you're just never gonna get it, never gonna get it!







# SO PROUD OF

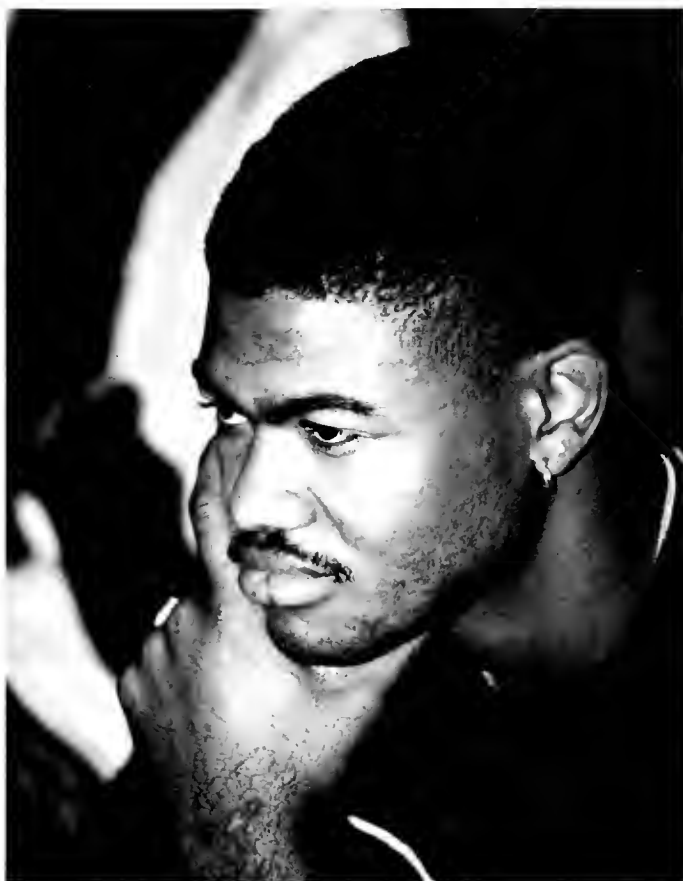


Know what we like most about our men?  
EVERYTHING! From their inquiring minds to their  
'stand their ground' feet, Aggie men are much respected for  
their style, stamina, and stupendous abilities. To our Aggie  
men; you are one of a kind. We love you!



# KEEP UP THE GOOD LOOKS!

# MY AGGIE MAN



## LIGHTING





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FIRE

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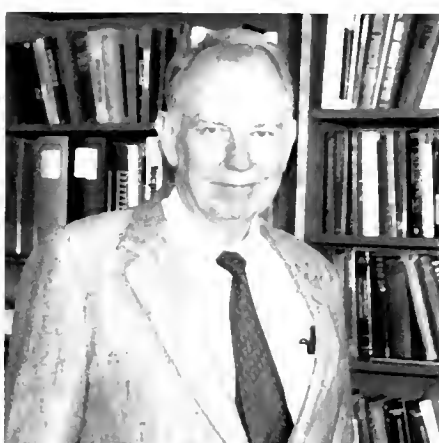
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## A & T CELEBRATES FOUNDER'S DAY



In the fall of '96, North Carolina A & T held its annual Founder's Day Program. Everyone was encouraged to attend the event. SGA President Rasheed-Ali Cromwell, Miss A & T Joeletta Patrick, and Chancellor Edward B. Fort greeted the audience with Aggie Pride. The Marching Aggie Machine also participated in the ceremony, sharing their magical tunes which caused a sudden rippling in the waters of our souls. All who attended were touched by the music, as well as the mention of the memoirs that we have on campus — such as our classroom buildings and our residence halls — of our heroes, who paved the way for us at A & T. In essence, this year's fall convocation reminded us of the strength and perseverance one needs to be a winner at this prestigious institution, North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University: **Where Dreamers Become Achievers.**

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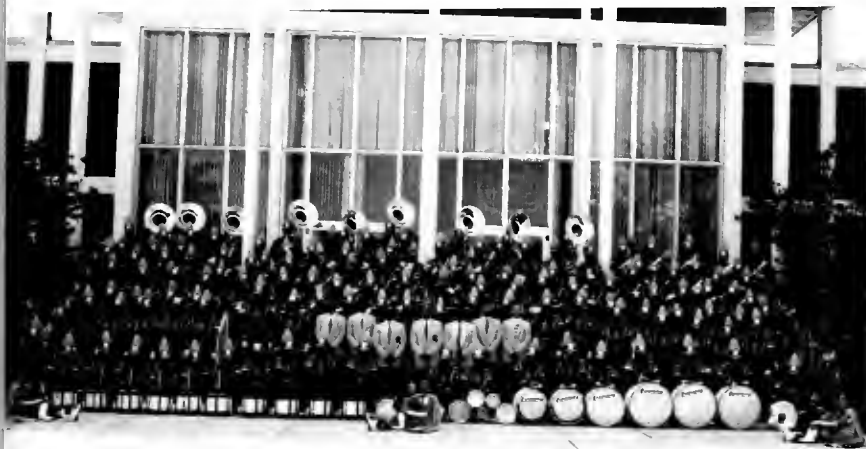
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1<sup>st</sup> Class Sgt. Jeffrey Smith



Sgt. Carla Wallace

# Weaver Visits Campus



Author, Clarence Mason Weaver



Clarence Mason Weaver visited campus to discuss his new book entitled *It's OK to Leave the Plantation: A journey from Liberation to Conservatism*, and for a book signing.



Mr. Weaver takes a moment to pose for our camera.



Weaver takes poses with hostess, Toy Parker.

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# A Celebration and Chronicle of Transportation Research, Education and Technology Transfer

February 27-28, 1997



This year's guest speaker was Gordon J. Linton, a Federal Transit Administrator for the U.S. Department of Transportation.



A panel discussion on career opportunities and the latest developments in the transportation industry.



Mrs. Joyce H. Johnson, Director of the Transportation Institute, presided at the recognition luncheon.



On Friday a recognition luncheon was held in the Memorial Student Union.

**The Transportation Institute  
School of Business and Economics  
North Carolina A&T State University  
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# RECEPTION HONORING

## *Dr. Beverly Malone*



On August 18, 1996 North Carolina Agricultural and Technical State University honored Dr. Beverly Malone as she began a new chapter in her life as President of the American Nurses Association. Dr. Malone, former professor and Dean of A&T's School of Nursing, has served as Second Vice President of the American Nurses Association for two years. She has also been a member of and chaired numerous committees within the association.

Locally, Dr. Malone has served on the Governor's Task Force concerning the Nursing Shortage, as Commissioner of North Carolina Commission on Health Services, as Vice Chair of Moses Cone Health Systems Board of Trustees, and on several other councils and boards in the state of North Carolina.

All faculty, staff, and students at A&T wish Dr. Malone the best of luck with her new endeavors as she sets the world afire.



# Blending Academics and Athletics ...



On Saturday, November 16, Andre Taylor was one of ten athletes featured as the Burger King Scholar Athlete of the Week. The scholarship award of \$10,000.00 was established at the university in Andre's name for his academic and athletic performances. For three consecutive semesters Andre maintained a 4.0 grade point average. He also fulfilled the need for a center position on the Aggie football team. Andre relies on grade point average to be a determining factor in his career plans. He is already an entrepreneur. He is owner and operator of A.D. Tees of Chapel Hill. He designs, prints, and markets tee shirts for various occasions. Additionally Andre has been inducted into the Golden Key National Honor Society where he was also the recipient of yet another scholarship. NCA&T congratulates Mr. Andre D. Taylor on his success as an athlete and scholar.



Congratulations are in order to Miss Mekeisha Caulk. Miss Caulk is a graduating nursing student and Army ROTC Cadet. She is the first runner up for the Nursing in Excellence Award. Pictured is LTC Weeks; Army ROTC, Mekeisha Caulk, and Dr. Janice Brewington; interim dean for the school of nursing.

# 1996 OUTSTANDING

Dr. McDowell joined the A&T Faculty in 1981, and since that time has served the Department of Agriculture Education, Economics and Rural Sociology with distinction.



Dr. Donald McDowell  
School of Agriculture



Dr. Gilbert Casterlow, Jr.  
College of Arts and Sciences

Dr. Casterlow, a mathematics professor, joined the faculty in 1972. He also received the outstanding Teacher of the Year Award for the College of Arts and Sciences. He also has recently garnered the 1996 Excellence in Teaching Award, one of the highest honors in the University of NC System.

Dr. Anyansi-Archibong became a member of the A&T Faculty in 1987. As an associate professor of strategic management, Dr. Anyansi-Archibong has published two books, over a dozen of journals, and two dozen teaching cases.



Dr. Chi Anyansi-Archibong  
School of Business and Economics



Dr. Cathy Kea  
School of Education

Dr. Kea is involved in research development activities related to critical teaching behaviors, field-based experience, and multicultural competence.

# TEACHERS AND ADMINISTRATORS

Dr. Salami is being recognized for the second time in a row as teacher-of-the-year for the College of Engineering. In 1987 he joined the faculty, and is presently associate professor of Civil Engineering.



Dr. Reza Salami  
College of Engineering



Margaret Carlton Warren  
School of Nursing

Mrs. Margaret Warren is an associate professor in the School of Nursing. She has also served as interim dean for the school of Nursing. She has published numerous articles in nursing journals.

Dr. Dillion is an associate professor in Graphics Communication. He joined the A&T Faculty in 1986. He has published several articles and conducted various workshops.



Dr. David A. Dillion  
School of Technology



Leon Warren  
Assistant Vice Chancellor  
for Career Services

Mr. Leon Warren has served A&T in the area of Career Planning and Placement since 1972. He was promoted to assistant vice chancellor for Career Services in 1992.



**WE GOT YOU**



**THIS TIME.**



**AND  
GUESS  
WHAT??!!!**







WE'LL DO IT



AGAIN!!!



# TOLD

# YA!!!



Everyone comes to work with a smile at North Carolina A&T.



Yes, that *is* Mr. Ken White of the Virtual Reality adventure.



Of course I have time for a picture.

Hold on a minute. There somebody in my face.



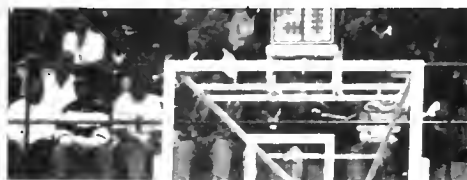
We all get along here. That's what keeps us going strong!



You be the judge.

Feel  
The  
FIRE!

## Aggie Athletics



# EIGHT FORMER NCA&TSU ATHLETES PICKED



Vinson Miller, of Mt. Laurel, N.J., was a four-year starter for the NCA&TSU basketball team. Miller played in the CIAA Tournaments and NCAA Division II Finals. From 1962 to 1969, Miller served as head scout and statistics recorder for the Philadelphia Warriors.



Rodney James, of Greensboro, N.C., served on NCA&TSU's wrestling team, earning the title of conference Wrestler of the Year for three years. James was recognized by the NCAA Division as the Eastern Regional runner-up in 1977. He was "Wrestler of the Year" in 1975, 1976, and 1977.

Donald B. Young, of Winston-Salem, N.C., was both a basketball and baseball player at NCA&T. He played on the varsity basketball team for three years and served as captain during his senior year. In 1958, he joined the Negro League Baseball team and played with them for seven years. Young also played for the Chicago Cubs Minor League and the Harlem Magicians, a basketball team.



Ira Snell, Jr., of Canton, Ohio, was recognized as one of the best pass receivers in the CIAA. He was a member of the 1950 CIAA Conference Championship team and the 1951 squad that were recognized as National Black Champions.



# FOR A & T SPORTS HALL OF FAME



Harold R. Carrillo, of East Hanover, New Jersey, was honored for his outstanding performance as a football player. Carrillo played in 1951-1953 and 1958-1960. He was also a member of the 1951 Championship Team. Carrillo is now owner and senior vice president of State Wide Information Service in Charlotte, North Carolina.



Jesse W. Everett, of Laurinburg, NC, joined the A & T football team in 1951, and was a member of that National Championship team. In 1952, Everett received an Honorable mention for the All-CIAA team. In 1953-55, he was drafted into the military. He also shone on the field there; in 1954, he was a member of the Eastern Conference USAREAU Championship team, and later became a member of the All-Germany team. He returned to A & T in 1955, and served as captain of the team. His football career ended in 1957.

Jerry Powell, of Whitakers, NC, is recognized as one of our best play making guards. Powell lettered four years and served as co-captain of the team in 1964. This 1964 team was the one that won the CIAA Tournament and finished third at the NCAA tournament in Evansville, Indiana. Powell is now an assistant coach for the Atlantic Hawks.



Harold O. Hair, Jr., of Jacksonville, Florida, was recognized for his outstanding performance on the baseball team. Hair joined the team as a walk on, and became the 1st string third baseman on a team that ended up winning four consecutive Championships. Hair was known for his .300 batting record and was named captain of the 1953 championship team.







# The Gold Rush

## Aggie Football 1996

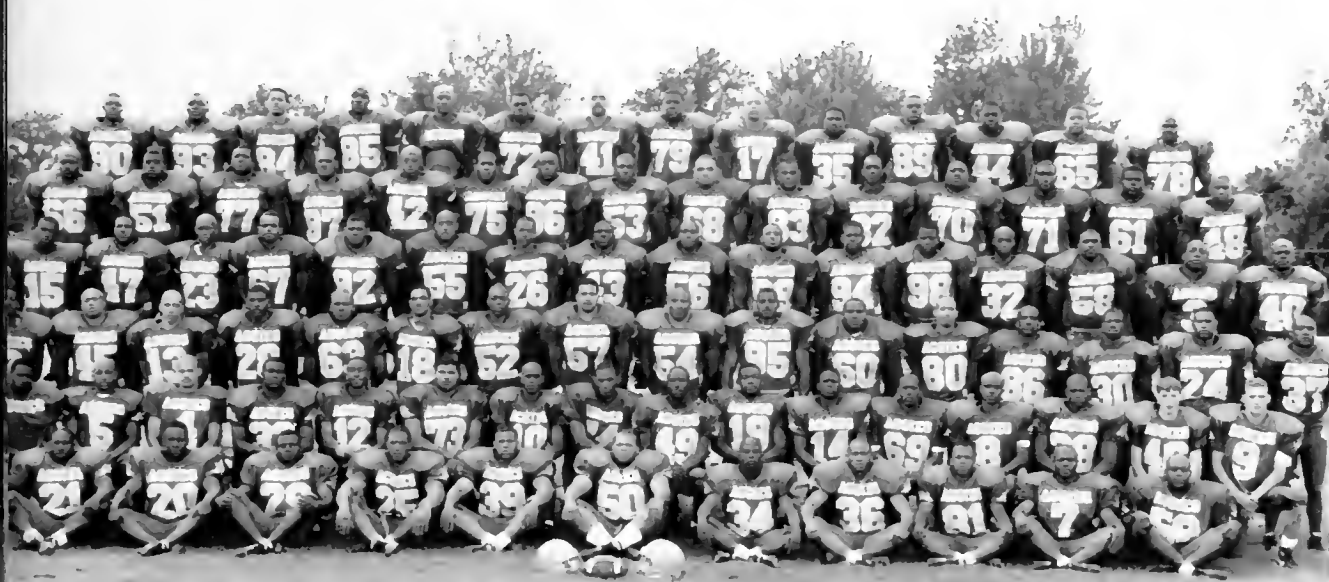
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#14 Marcus Sadler  
#15 Henry Douglas  
#17 Gerald McNeill  
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#79 Greg Coley  
#80 Ron Brown

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#82 Manquel Graham  
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#85 Chris McLaughlin  
#86 John Crews  
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#88 James Harris  
#89 DeJuan Harris  
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#92 Trey Lowe  
#93 Tyrone Simpson  
#94 Charles Alexander  
#95 Cedric White  
#96 Troy Pelshak  
#97 Nick Harvey  
#98 Richard Humphrey  
#99 Jeff Allen

“Our Goal is Gold”



# MEN'S BASKETBALL 1996-97



3 Jamel Grey  
5 Jonathan Richmond  
10 Kwagi Heath  
11 Larry White  
12 Derick Powell  
20 Dexter Cannon  
21 Marcus Williams  
23 Torrey Tucker

24 Maurice Chambers  
25 Tony Mitchell  
32 Kimani Stewart  
33 Sean Stimpson  
34 Derrick Partee  
42 Monty Key  
44 Namon Sloan  
55 Shernord Knowlin

Head Coach: Roy Thomas  
Assistant: Bill Pope  
Student Assistant: Mike Corbett

# WOMEN'S BASKETBALL



- |                     |                     |                            |
|---------------------|---------------------|----------------------------|
| 11 Latoya Wilson    | 23 Latania McIntyre | Head Coach: Tim Abney      |
| 12 Fatima Bartle    | 24 Tennifer Woods   | Assistant: Billy Edrington |
| 13 Nisha Watson     | 30 Nyah Ferreira    | Assistant: Mamie Jones     |
| 14 Jamelle Jones    | 32 Tavra Barnes     |                            |
| 20 Jillian Bridges  | 33 Shawanda Horne   |                            |
| 21 Halima Corwright | 34 Tomora Bogans    |                            |
| 22 Jamilia Ellis    |                     |                            |

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1, 2, 3, bowl!

## YOU'RE PLAYING WITH FIRE! It's a No-Win Situation

Strike!



That's the way to put a spin on it!





## Members

Front row (Lt. — Rt.): Benita Turner, Veronica Faison; captain, Danice Turner Back row (Lt. — Rt.): Tanisha Parrish, Evangela Davis, Sharron Amos

Advisor: Vernell Stallings



Captain Veronica Faison demonstrates how its really done.



Watch out! She's about to let it loose.

This year's ladies' bowling team is the first Historically Black College or University to enter the NCAA Division for women's bowling.

# AGGIE CHEERLEADERS



Gold Squad places second in the region at the '97 MEAC Championships!





# Two-four-six-eight! We Do Appreciate



## AGGIE CHEERLEADERS!



Our cheerleaders have been doing great this year. *So* we wonder, could they have been maybe partially responsible for the Gold Rush's winning streak? One thing's for sure, they kept the crowd's spirits up, at *every* game.

## The Blue Squad



Aggies in the rear let me hear you cheer!





Laveda Casterlow demonstrates the stopping power of a good side-kick against two would-be attackers, played by Trenton Davis and Jonathan Brown.



Sense: Pat Casterlow neutralizes an attack by Quincy in a parking lot encounter.

Bonnie Casterlow demonstrates a self defense strategy against a knife attack by Michael Tabron during the Spring Fitness Day, 1996.



Oh! Quincy just wanted to attack from the rear this time.

# KARATE



Dr. Casterlow demonstrates a solid defense as sensei McCammon tries to penetrate.

Instructor:  
Dr. Gilbert Casterlow



Dr. Casterlow demonstrates a hold reversing wrist lock and side against a double attack by blackbelts, Marcus McCammon and Kevin Turner.



You call that a block? Ha!

# NC A&T VS HOWARD



Let's get ready to  
rumble!



Yes, #25 (Howard), maybe you should have gone for the foul.



Mission Impossible?



SLAM DUNK!

Ah man, I  
might have to  
take this  
myself.



Swoosh!



It ain't going in.

B-ballin' in the 9-7!



OK we're  
done here,  
who's  
next?



SHOOT,  
PASS,  
SLAMMMMM!!!!!!  
AGGIES VS  
EAGLES  
GREENSBORO  
COLISEUM

*"Let the Boys be Boys"*





## A Track Star's Prayer

Lord, I thank you for these feet  
that with their swiftness and each race I'll complete.  
I thank you for the strength I have  
because my body is a muscular calf.  
I thank you for this  
because within me is a strong  
and for letting me know that this is where I belong.  
I thank you for all that you have done for me  
I thank you for the victory I have won.

Now Lord as I take my start  
grant me the strength to run fast.  
When the gun goes off  
I thank you, Lord, that  
each breath I take  
when I make my start  
you are on my side  
and you are my guide.

And when the finish line is reached  
I thank you, Lord, for the victory I have won  
I thank you, Lord, for the victory I have won  
I thank you, Lord, for the victory I have won.

Am

ering

# LADY AGGIES – VS – LADY BULLDOGS



S.C. State, prepare to be defeated!



I'm ready for whatever comes my way.



Spike? I think NOT!

# Lady Aggies Volleyball

#	Name	Pos.	Ht.	Cl.	Hometown/High School
5	Vivian Abalama	DS	5'5	Fr.	Hopewell, Va./Alaska Comm. Coll.
4	Leslie Armistad	DS/S	5'7	Soph.	Durham, NC./Hillside High
3	Brandee Byrd	OH	5'9	Fr.	Winston-Salem, NC./Reynolds
12	Kisha Caleb	DS/S	5'7	Soph.	Cheyenne, WY./Central
14	Mara Davis	OH	6'0	Fr.	Dayton, OH./Charminade Julienne
9	Monique Lawrence	OH	5'8	Fr.	Louisburg, N.C./Louisburg
1	Lakeya Mason	MB	6'0	Soph.	Durham, N.C./Hillside
8	Celeste Peace	MH	5'11	Soph.	Charlotte, N.C./N.Mecklenburg
2	Lynn Snyder	DS/H	5'9	Fr.	Wilmington, N.C./New Hanover
15	Michelle Spottswood	Setter	5'7	Sr.	Waynesboro, PA./Waynesboro
13	Monique Stokes	MH	6'1	Fr.	Raleigh, N.C./Raleigh Millbrook
10	Joanna Wills	OH	5'10	Sr.	Silver Spring, MD/Einstein

Head Coach: Kathy Williams-Rouhlac, N.C. A&T '87

Assistant Coach: Velma Degree, Elon College '93



## COACHES



Tim Abney, Women's Basketball Head Coach



Roy Thomas, Men's Basketball Head Coach



Cathy Williams, Volleyball



Alita Sutton, Track Coach



William Pope, Men's Basketball

# COACHES AND ATHLETIC STAFF



Bill Hayes, Football Head Coach



Bradford Evans, Sports Information Director



Alphonso Duncan, Men's Basketball



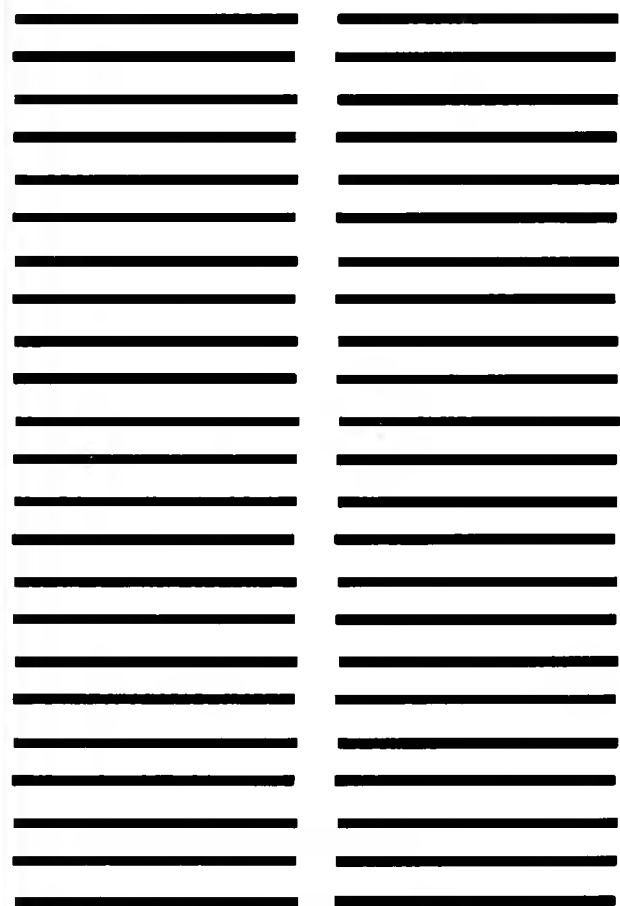
Seth Bennett, Director of Marketing and Promotions

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**SUPERBOWL XXXI**



**BORIS YELTSIN**

It was late in the third quarter when Desmond Howard of the Green Bay Packers returned his first kickoff for a touchdown as a pro. And it was a whopper — a 100-yard return for the longest kickoff return in Super Bowl history. The Packers went on to beat the New England Patriots 35-21 in Super Bowl XXXI.

Boris Yeltsin was re-elected President of Russia and pledged to continue the reforms he began five years ago. However, the 65 year old president began immediately to show the signs of severe heart problems. It was announced that he had at least two heart attacks in the past two years and open-heart surgery was considered the only solution to his life-threatening disease.



**ISRAELI-PALESTINIAN CONFLICT**



**FUGEES**

The Fugees hit the charts with their best-selling album "The Score". One critic said: "the Fugees sound, style, and spirit, without question, goes a long way to dispel the stereotypical approach to making modern urban melodies".

Peace in the Middle East remained unstable as the fall semester began. A crisis erupted after Israel opened a new exit in a tunnel alongside a plateau, raising suspicions among Muslims that the Israelis were seeking to change the delicate religious balance in Jerusalem's Old City. The incident proved to be the breaking point in mounting Palestinian frustrations with the lack of movement in carrying out the peace accords. Demonstrations followed where nearly 100 people were killed. Then emergency meetings were arranged by President Clinton in Washington between Benjamin Netanyahu and Yasir Arafat.



William Jefferson Clinton began his second term in January 1997 as the 42nd President of the United States. He placed his left hand on a family bible held by his wife, Hillary, and took the 35-word oath of office administered by Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist, who wished him "Good Luck."



## INAUGURATION



## TWA FLIGHT 800 CRASH SITE

Months after TWA Flight 800 exploded in midair in the summer of 1996, investigators were still searching for a cause. The Boeing 747 jumbo jet plunged into the Atlantic Ocean off the coast of Long Island, N.Y., just minutes after taking off from Kennedy Airport for Paris. All 230 people on board were killed. The theories ranged from a mechanical failure to a bomb, from an exploded fuel tank to a missile.



## MARIAH CAREY

Mariah Carey was only a teen when a Columbia record executive heard her demo tape and signed her up. Her first album soared to the No. 2 spot and the rest is history. It's been solid gold ever since. When Mariah performs, her voice takes command over the large band and battalion of background singers. Her latest album "Daydream" hit the No. 1 position on the charts.



**BENJAMIN NETANYAHU**

Benjamin Netanyahu, leader of the Likud political party, was elected Prime Minister of Israel. He declared that his government would honor the existing agreements on peace and security issues and would continue to negotiate toward a final peace agreement in the Middle East.

Monica may be young, but she knows about attitude. She says she is confident, intelligent, self-possessed, and self-assured. "Miss Thang is her debut hit with Roudy Records. The critics say "It's a potent, persuasive, and personal statement from a young woman who's heading up the new breed of R&B singers. She was born and raised in Atlanta and began singing in her local church choir. She quickly rose from the chorus to a soloist, and then to the top of the charts



**MONICA**



## HONG KONG

Hong Kong was a British colony on the brink of great change in 1997. Great Britain's lease on Hong Kong was set to expire on July 1, 1997 and the Chinese were poised to reclaim the island. After 100 years of British rule, British administration and jurisdiction over Hong Kong will end and it will become a Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China.

Ross Perot, who four years earlier won more votes than any other independent Presidential candidate in 80 years, launched a campaign as the 1996 nominee of the Reform Party. The 66 year old Texas billionaire was a less formidable figure than he was in 1994, but a very vocal candidate nevertheless. Lacing his speeches with inspirational anecdotes from American history and his own life, Perot lambasted budget deficits and big government.



**ROSS PEROT**

# Nikki Giovanni,

## Woman Extraordinaire

Born in Knoxville, Tennessee, as Yolande Cornelia Giovanni, Jr., Nikki Giovanni has become one of the most famous literary figures in our country. She was a prominent figure in the Black Arts movement and has soared even higher since then. She has appeared on talk shows, received honorary degrees, and produced collections of love poems and verses for children. Her books of poetry and essay include *Black Feeling* (1967), *Black Judgment* (1968), *Re: Creation* (1970), and *My House* (1972). *Black Feeling*, *Black Judgment*, and *Re: Creation* were instant hits on the United States black poetry charts in the '70's. Ms. Giovanni continues to write and currently teaches writing, poetry, and literature at Virginia Tech.



Nikki-Rosa

childhood remembrances are always a drag if  
you're Black  
you always remember things like living in  
Woodlawn  
with no inside toilet  
and if you become famous or something they  
never talk about how happy you were to have  
your mother all to yourself and  
how good the water felt when you got your bath  
from one of those big tubs that folk in Chicago  
barbecue in  
and somehow when you talk about home  
it never gets across how much you  
understood their feelings  
as the whole family attended meetings about Hollydale  
and even though you remember  
your biographers never understand  
your father's pain as he sells his stock and  
another dream goes  
and though you're poor it isn't poverty that  
concerns you  
and though they fought a lot it isn't your father's  
drinking that makes any difference  
but only that everybody is together and you  
and your sister have happy birthdays and very  
good christmasses  
and I really hope no white person ever has cause  
to write about me  
because they'll never understand Black love is  
Black wealth and they'll  
probably talk about my hard childhood and never  
understand that all the while I was quite happy

— Nikki Giovanni (1968)





## CALL ME BLACK WOMAN

*Call Me Black Woman* is a dramatic celebration of African-American Women featuring Ms. Priscilla Hancock Cooper. This year NCA&T was added to her outstanding list of performance highlights. Priscilla Cooper's one woman show is a collection of her own poetry. She has taken this show on the road to many colleges and universities throughout the region.

Ms. Cooper is a native of Louisville, Kentucky but is presently residing in Birmingham, Alabama. She has been an administrator and communication faculty member of the University of Montevallo in Alabama and the University of Louisville. She is a graduate of American University in Washington, DC and Lincoln University in Missouri where she began performing.



The New York Yankees brought a world championship back to the Bronx by edging the defending champion Atlanta Braves 3-2 in Game 6 of the World Series. This was the first championship for the Yankees since 1978, and their 23<sup>rd</sup> overall.



# Did ? You ? Hear ? The ? One ? About



The Macarena hit all the charts — from Latin to Pop — and enlivened dance floors all over the world. The song was first released three years ago and it became a big hit in Spain. Then someone had the bright idea to market the song internationally. Numerous Macarena versions have added variations to the basic moves of the dance, which requires a 360-degree turn to be completed in four jumps to the right.

Celine Dion had the impossible good fortune of taking two movie songs — “Beauty and the Beast” and “Because You Loved Me” (from *Up Close and Personal*) and took them to the top of the charts. The Canadian performer has a dynamic voice that raises even the most modest material to a level of loveliness. Her latest release, “Falling Into You” was a runaway hit.





Tracey Chapman was back on the charts with her latest album "New Beginning". As one critic wrote: "one thing Tracey Chapman has inevitably gained over the years is polish. This new album is simply and impeccably orchestrated, tightly and urbanely played. The songs are adorned with soft jazz accompaniments."



A deadly explosion disrupted the Olympic Games. Just as the games were turning Atlanta into a giddy metropolis overflowing with tourists, a black-powered pipe bomb packed with nails exploded in the packed Centennial Olympic Park. One person died instantly and another person died of a heart attack. More than one hundred people were injured and, as of yet no one has been charged with the crime.



For the first time in its history, the House of Representatives voted to reprimand and fine its speaker for bringing discredit on the House. The House Ethics Committee ruled that House Speaker Newt Gingrich was involved in using tax-exempt foundation money for his political ends.

NEWT GINGRICH



**MICHAEL JOHNSON**

Olympic gold medal winner Michael Johnson has what track coaches call speed, endurance — the ability to carry top speed. He proved he had endurance-plus. Johnson won an unprecedented double win in the Summer Olympics in Atlanta. He won the 200 and 400 meter race. He was also the overwhelming favorite in the 200, but a case of food poisoning weakened him and he failed to qualify for the final.



**TONI BRAXTON**

**DARIUS RUCKER,  
HOOTIE & THE BLOWFISH**



Hootie and the Blowfish was once described as a well-meaning four-piece band from South Carolina who made a pleasant but otherwise unremarkable album that should have sold maybe a million copies and instead sold more than 13 million. For their next act, Hootie and the group produced "Fairweather Johnson," and if only half of the people who brought "Cracked Rear View" buy this one, the group will have a multi-million seller, again.



**1996 REPUBLICAN CONVENTION**

Bob Dole retired after 35 years in Congress to devote himself full time to running for President. At the age of 73, the former senator from Kansas would be the oldest person elected to a first term as President. As his running mate he picked Jack Kemp, an active Republican and former cabinet member. Dole and Kemp promised to give President Clinton a "run for his money". They attacked the president's character and ethics while promoting the Republican 15 percent tax cut.



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For the first time since the 1993 Gulf war, the American military took action against Iraq and its leader, Saddam Hussein. Iraq sent its troops into the Kurdian enclave in northern Iraq and in retaliation the United States launched air attacks against Hussein's southern air defenses. Hussein has abused his people since the ruling Baath assumed power 30 years ago, and since the end of the Gulf War he has continued to assassinate his political enemies.



President Bill Clinton and Vice President Al Gore maintained a strong and consistent lead in the polls during their campaign for four more years in the White House. The Democratic team campaigned on a "four more years" platform that featured a strong economy and a lower crime rate. During his first term, Clinton formed a very close partnership with Gore, who served as confidant and adviser.

1996 DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION



SADDAM HUSSEIN

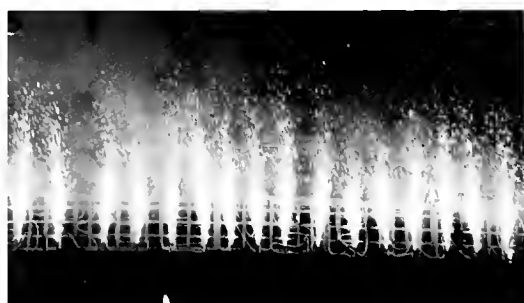


The seven members of the U.S. women's gymnastic team won the unlikely of the gold medals in the unlikely of fashions. Team member Kerri Strug made the clinching vault on a bad ankle, and became an Olympic heroine the instant she landed. Her coach, Bela Karolyi, carried her to the stand to be awarded the medal.

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# OLYMPICS '96 COMES TO THE UNITED STATES

## Olympic Torch Passes Through Greensboro as Olympics '96 begins



# HURRICANE FRAN HITS THE PIEDMONT

Workers and residents pick up debris for a cleaner Greensboro.







Dr. Henry T. Cameron

DR. HENRY T. CAMERON departed from this life at Moses Cone Memorial Hospital on Friday, April 14, 1995.

He was the youngest of seven children, born August 21, 1936 in Lake City, South Carolina to Maggie and the late Taft Cameron.

Dr. Cameron retired from North Carolina A&T State University after declining health, where he served as Chairperson of the Department of Educational Leadership and Policy in the Graduate School of Education. He also served as teacher and administrator in the New Haven, Connecticut Public Schools, and taught at South Carolina State and Fisk Universities. He received a Bachelor's degree from South Carolina State University, a Master's degree from Fairfield University, Fairfield, Connecticut, and a Doctorate degree from the University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

In addition to local, state, and national educational organizations, Dr. Cameron served on the Board of Directors for Goodwill Industries, the Board of Directors of the Triad Sickle Cell Anemia Foundation, the Planning Division of the Greensboro United Way, the Greensboro Housing Commission (8 years, one term as Chairperson), the Greensboro Human Relations Commission, and Kappa Alpha Psi Fraternity.

Dr. Cameron was a fortress of trust in God and served God with unwavering assurance and confidence in his belief of Romans 8:28, "And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose."

Survivors include: his wife, Mrs. Helen Myers Cameron; mother, Mrs. Maggie Cameron of Palm Bay, Florida; daughter, Helene Alisa Cameron; son, Henry Anthony Cameron of Columbia, South Carolina; three brothers, Jesse and Phillip Cameron of Palm Bay, Florida, and Dallas Cameron of Tampa, Florida; three step-sisters, Martha and Laurin Cameron, and Etheline Myers of Lake City, South Carolina; a step-brother, Jack Cameron of New York City, and a host of relatives and friends.



Elwood "Rock" Edwards

Elwood "Rock" Edwards died Sunday, Dec. 22, 1996 at Moses H. Cone Hospital. A native of Nash County, he attended New Zion Baptist Church. An Army Veteran, Edwards was retired from N.C. A&T State University, and a member of Khalif Temple #144, St. John's Lodge #212, Greensboro Consistory #106, Sportsman Club HMT, Aggie Booster Club and was a Licensed and Bonded Independent Mail Carrier.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Ossie Harrelson Edwards; brothers, Elzo Edwards and Lindwood Edwards, both of Bronx, N.Y., Michael Edwards, of Seat Pleasant, Md.; sister, Mrs. Bernice E. Coplin, Washington, D.C.



## The Obituary

**DR. WALTER J. HUGHES, JR.** died Sunday, October 13, 1996 at Moses H. Cone Hospital.

A native of Greensboro, he was the eldest of two sons of the late Walter J. Hughes, Sr., M.D. and Hatne J. Hughes. He was a graduate of Palmer Memorial Institute, Lincoln University, PA, and Meharry Medical College, Nashville, Tenn. He practiced medicine for 41 years in Greensboro, and worked part-time at Sebastian Student Health Services, A&T State University after retiring in 1993.

He became a diplomat of the American Board of Obstetrics and Gynecology in 1967, a fellow of the American College of Obstetrics and Gynecology in 1967. He was a long time member of the American Medical Association, Greensboro Medical Society and the Old North State Medical Society. His hospital affiliations included L. Richardson Memorial Hospital, Moses H. Cone Hospital and Humana Greensboro Hospital.

He was a life member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, and a member of National Association of Guardsmen, Inc.

A loving and devoted family man, he is survived by his wife, Mrs. Yvonne P. Hughes; daughters, Carol Y. Hughes, and Deborah H. Florance both of Greensboro; grandchildren, Chandra R. Jones, Laura A. Jones, Portia M. Holt, Whitney M. Holt; great grandchildren, Nicole D. Jones and Jaylon W. Williams. Other survivors are brother, Dr. Deurwood L. Hughes and sister-in-law, Terry K. Hughes of Philadelphia, PA.; sisters-in-law, Laura P. Sterling of Birmingham, Ala., and Christy S. Partee of Durham, NC; nephew, Marion P. Sterling of Los Angeles, CA; nieces, Susan Hughes of Philadelphia, PA, Diane H. Webster of South Orange, NJ, Brenda H. Miller, Los Angeles, CA, and Paula S. Shackleford of Durham, NC; cousin, Lillian S. McCormick; aunt, Isabel Jones; son-in-law, David Florance, all of Greensboro.



**October 21, 1938 — Feb. 9, 1997**

**DeShield, Jr.**

**Dr. McKinley A. DeShield, Jr.** died on Feb. 9, 1997, at the Vencor Hospital in Greensboro, NC.

He was born in Monrovia, Liberia, West Africa, on Oct. 21, 1938. A 1956 graduate of the College of West Africa (High School) in Liberia, he received the B.S. degree in agronomy from N.C. A&T State University in 1960, cum laude. He received the M.S. degree in agronomy and plant physiology from Cornell University in New York in 1962. He then received the Ph.D. degree in horticulture from Nottingham University in England in 1967.

Returning to Liberia, Dr. DeShield served as Dean of College of Agriculture and Forestry at the University of Liberia until 1980, when he left for the United States as a result of a military take-over of the government. He resided in Greensboro, and was employed as Professor of Agronomy at N.C. A&T State University until his death.

He was married to Earlene Wordsworth, and was the caring father of six children. He was a man of many achievements: scientific researcher, educator, author, musician, and a world class table tennis champion.

**"SOME FLAMES NEVER DIE"**



## NINE JAZZ HAIKU

an arc of light  
on the woman's broad brow —  
all that jazz

hot sunshine —  
the percussionist  
turning away

clarinet's melody —  
the smell of cut grass  
in the city park

weirding —  
for rain clouds  
the musician

on the plank

summer

the stillness  
of hillsides

deafening  
closing

the dancing  
he bearded  
away

Lenard D. Moore, graduate student,  
English and Afro-American Literature

## IMAGES

Intelligent, handsome, made with luscious milk  
figured, gentle, with more waves in his hair  
the Pacific Ocean. The general aroma that sur-  
rounds him makes me think of him when he speaks, the  
tongue so sweet, so smooth, mouth waters. Many  
try to tell me he is more than he grooves, but all I need  
is just a second of his time oh all mine but again I am  
stopped by the beauty of my arm close

Submitted by Lenard D. Moore and Sherie Jones



On Tuesday, January 28, 1997 NCA&T held the Eleventh Commemorative Memorial Program honoring the late Dr. Ronald E. McNair. Dr. McNair was born October 21, 1950 in Lake City, South Carolina. After graduating from Carver High School he studied here at A&T where he received his BS degree in Physics. He then received his doctorate of Philosophy in Physics from Massachusetts Institute of Technology. In 1978 he was selected by NASA as an astronaut candidate. His first flight as a Mission Specialist was February 3, 1984. Sadly, Dr. Ronald E. McNair's life ended January 28, 1986 when the Space Shuttle Challenger exploded. NC A&T annually commemorates our fellow Aggie, Dr. Ronald E. McNair.

Chancellor Edward Fort and Cheryl McNair, wife of Ron McNair.



Students, administrators, and guest speakers gather in McNair auditorium to pay honor to former astronaut and lifetime Aggie, Ronald McNair.

Quantae Durante, president of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, with a wreath in McNair's honor.



"As we assemble here today, we are grateful . . . that the Creator provided this University and the world with an opportunity to be part of the magnificence that he represented during his stay here on earth." — Chancellor Edward Fort.





Sigma Gamma Rho

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Golden Key

Durham Aggies

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Alpha Kappa Alpha

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English Club

Zeta Phi Beta



The following organizations are featured in this section:

Air Force ROTC  
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 Alpha Epsilon  
 Alpha Kappa Alpha  
 Alpha Lambda Delta  
 American Institute of Chemical Engineers  
 American Marketing Association  
 American Society of Agricultural Engineers  
 American Society of Architectural Engineers  
 Art Circle

Barbee Hall Council  
 Beta Alpha Psi  
 Beta Psi  
 Campus All-Stars Team (Quiz Bowl)  
 Chi Eta Phi  
 Delta Sigma Theta  
 Elections Committee  
 English Club  
 Fellowship of Christian Students

Greensboro Aggie Club  
 Iota Phi Theta  
 Korean Martial Arts  
 Midwest Aggies  
 Mo'Del Unique  
 NANPBWC

National Society of Pershing Angels  
 New York/New Jersey Connection  
 Occupational Safety and Health Association

*Ninety Seven*

O'Hara Legal Society  
 Omega Psi Phi  
 Pan-Hellenic Council  
 Phi Mu Alpha  
 "Pre-Vet" Club  
 Psychology Club  
 Scott Hall Council  
 Sigma Gamma Rho  
 Society for the Advancement  
 of Material Processing for  
 Engineers

Society of Manufacturing Engineers  
 South Carolina Aggie Club  
 Students in Free Enterprise  
 Student Union Advisory Board  
 Tau Beta Pi  
 Teaching Fellows  
 Transportation Club  
 Who's Who Among Students in American  
 Colleges & Universities  
 Zeta Phi Beta

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organization:

The act or process of being [established]; arrangement, structure; an organized body or association.





## UNIQUE SOPHISTICATE

Miss Collegiate African American, Jaye Princess Watkins, graced our campus with her presence during her tour of historically black colleges and universities throughout the country. Several organizations helped to make this occasion a success. The Gospel Choir welcomed Miss Watkins with their spiritual voices. The ladies of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority presented her with a gift. Senior class president Timiko Jones also paid a musical tribute to the queen. Later, the Christian step team stepped before the queen in honor of Jesus. Afterwards, Miss Watkins performed the talent that helped her win the title of Miss Collegiate African American. The queen then remarked on how welcome she felt during her stay at A&T. She said that it was one of the most wonderful campuses she'd visited during her tour, and that the atmosphere was like one of a big, loving family. The Student Government Association sponsored the event.



## Miss Collegiate African-American



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*Why would you not want me?*

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THESE  
GREEKS  
ARE RED,  
RED,  
HOT!!!







# DURHAM AGGIE CLUB



Executive board: Telly Davis, president; Birhanie Robinson, vice president; Michelle Harris, secretary; LaShandra Scott, treasurer and Miss DAC: Willie Walker, parliamentarian; Lee Moyer, Mr. DAC

Advisor:  
Mr. Thomas Hastye

# PSI CHI HONOR SOCIETY

**PURPOSE:** To encourage, stimulate and maintain excellence in scholarship of the individual members in all fields, particularly in psychology, and to advance the science of psychology.

Advisor:  
Dr. S. Schumacher



# WOMEN'S COUNCIL



**PURPOSE:** To help residents develop leadership skills; to assist women in the development of decision-making skills; to help and recognize scholastic achievements, to cultivate and encourage educational programs, to promote social and cultural awareness on campus and in residence halls for women.

**ADVISOR:**  
Alicia Devane

# FELLOWSHIP OF CHRISTIAN STUDENTS



**Members:** Robert Turner, James Ladson, Ronnie Isaac, Jo'Dell Parks, Al Lea, Mark Murphy, Natalie Bowks, Danita Harris, Tamara Gadson, Celeste Jones, Delia Gamble, Natasha Jones, Shewana Skinner, Regene Logan, Kandis Goins, Nikki Gadson

**Executive members:** Delia Gamble (president), Jo'Dell Parks (vice president), Robert Turner (treasurer), Tamara Gadson (secretary), Kandis Goins (assistant secretary), Regene Logan (community service rep.), Shewana Skinner (Miss Focus), Mark Murphy (Mr. Focus), Al Lea (campus minister)

**Advisor:**  
Dr.  
Gerry  
Dozier



# GOLDEN KEY NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY



Purpose To recognize high scholastic achievement among college juniors and seniors.

# METROPOLITAN AGGIE CLUB



President:  
Jamali  
Phillips

# CRYSTAL COAST AGGIE CLUB



Members: first row — Verietta Williams, Tusheaka Hill, Tyreasa Washington — 2nd vice president, Natalie Snow — president middle row — Robert Parker — treasurer, Nichole Fale — 1st vice president, Sherrill Virgin — Miss Crystal Coast back row — Trell DeBane, William Hill, Dwayne Moore, Marcus Washington — chief executive of fundraising not pictured — Nicholas Harvey, Tanaka Spencer, and Shemeka Dixon — secretary

Purpose — The goal of the CCAC is to serve the A&T community and surrounding areas through education and community service. Our objective is to unite students from NC Crystal Coast to become a strong foundation at NC A&T.

## ELECTIONS COMMITTEE



Chairperson: Elenia Virgin



Members: Stacey Wood, Elenia Virgin, Naijla Shareef, Jennifer Thornton, Nia Brinson

**Advisor:**  
**Marva**  
**Watlington**



# ZOE P. BARBEE HALL COUNCIL



# SCOTT A HALL COUNCIL





# PSYCHOLOGY CLUB



# AIR FORCE ROTC Detachment 605





Miss Midwest Aggie,  
Nicole Price

The Midwest Aggie Club members network with one another providing mental, academic, emotional, and social support to students from the midwest. The Club members are also dedicated to service on campus as well as in the community.

# MIDWEST AGGIE CLUB



Mr. Midwest Aggie,  
Nathan Ingram, Jr.

Members (from left to right):  
First row: Tonja Gofoe, Pres.,  
Chad Rhodes, Vice Pres.  
Second row: Tenisha Tolbert;  
Tanisha Townsend, Corr.  
Sec.; Nicole Price, Miss  
MAC; Nathan Ingram, Mr.  
MAC; Reggie White, Treas.;  
Raushanah Maxey; Sean  
Young, Parl.  
Third row: Mykia Alexander;  
Syeda Smith; Christopher  
Wells; Charmaine Green;  
Rorri Smith; TaShara Bailey;  
Renee Thompson; LaToya  
Lee; Vincent Dawkins  
Fourth row: Tiffany Tolbert;  
Japhus Dent III; Marcus A.  
Dixon; Abner Ward; Kyle Ed-  
wards; Teddy Wilson; Hay-  
ward Little; Steve Marsh  
Not pictured: Shelby Stanley,  
Sec.; B. Robertson



President, Tonja Gofoe

## BLOOD DRIVE '97



Due to its demand, the American Red Cross collects and tests thousands of pints of blood each year.



To test for low iron a simple prick of the ear is all it takes.



NCA&T Aggies support the Red Cross by donating blood.



One pint of blood is collected and hopefully used to aid in saving someones life.



I've been doing this for years.



See, it really doesn't hurt at all.

# SOCIETY OF MANUFACTURING ENGINEERS



First row: Sherry Stafford, Shravvia Jackson — secretary, Erika Simon — Miss SME, Ayana Browne — president Second row: Milton Langston, Johnny Wade, Jamel Morehead, Keith Moore — vice president Third row: Frank Bonsu, Gilbert Tillman, Christopher Ogu Fourth row: Aurelio Whitaker, Gary Jones, Robertt Alston — treasurer, Dr. Paul Liu

**Advisor:**  
**Dr. Paul Liu**

# SOUTH CAROLINA AGGIES

Purpose: To supply North Carolina Aggies with a connection with students from the same area.

**Advisor: Mr. Leon Warren**





The  
University Choir

# Golden Key National Honor Society Induction



Recognizing students for scholastic achievement and excellence.



Chapter officers, honorees, and the guest speaker await the announcements of the scholarship recipients.

Many students were inducted this year, and many friends and relatives came to congratulate and support the new inductees.

Golden Key National Honor Society held its spring 1997 induction on Monday, February 17 at 6:30pm in the Memorial Union Ballroom. That night, many Aggies were inducted. Two scholarships were also awarded. Angela Willis, junior accounting major, and Andre Taylor, senior accounting major were the proud recipients of the award.

"What is Wisdom" — Speaker of the occasion was Mrs. Elaine Harrigan.



Dr. Robert Howard, advisor for Golden Key.





# TEACHING FOR AMERICA

The purpose of the Teaching Fellows Program is to encourage students to enter the teaching profession. The Fellows are awarded scholarships in the amount of \$5,000 per year, and agree to teach in a North Carolina public school for four years or in a low performance area public school for three years.

This school year, the Fellows plan to visit the University of Virginia (Charlottesville, VA), the Discovery Place (Charlotte, NC), and the President elect's inauguration (Washington, DC). Also, select Teaching Fellows will have the opportunity to teach abroad in Germany.

Fourteen institutions participate in the Teaching Fellows program. However, North Carolina A&T State University and North Carolina Central University are the only historically Black Universities in the program.



The A&T Teaching Fellows are Glenn Anderson, Helen Johnson, Latoya Smith, Stacey Spencer, and Tomica Wright, in their first year; Connell Cunningham, Jr., Jillian Davis, Tamara Gadson, Karen Harris, Jacqueline Koonce, Eugenia Oates, Traci Poole, Adrienne Scott, Christopher Shelton, and Dianna Whitaker in their second year; Leressa Brown, Melody Chalmers, Freda Davis, Corey King, Ryan Lashley, Teresa Robinson, and Sanchia Spoons in their third year; and Jamila Eagles, Sherelle Harris, Stephanie Hunter, Gregory Lanier, Cherita Mayo, Philippa Rhodes, Nicole Strayhorn, and Shantrel Walker in their fourth year.

Dr. Josephine Luck is the director of the Teaching Fellows program.

# Council of Presidents' Second Annual Leadership Conference



Mr. James Armstrong presents a workshop on team building.



Timothy White, SGA Student Supreme Court, and Joeletta Patrick, Miss A&T, attend the Team Building Workshop.



This was an opportunity for student leaders to converse about new ideas and plans for their perspective organization.



Chancellor Fort talks with student leaders.

## TRANSPORTATION CLUB



President: Joe Kelly  
Advisor: Dr. Harry Sink

Advisor:  
Leander  
Canady



President:  
Jarmaine  
Knight

**Purpose:** To promote visual awareness of the visual arts and their cultural and aesthetic role at NCA & TSU and their community; to raise and maintain a high standard of quality in the visual arts on campus and in the community; to sponsor service projects such as exhibitions, speakers, and workshops, to promote an exchange of ideas in the visual arts.

## ART CIRCLE

# ENGLISH CLUB



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Brooks

Purpose: To provide fellowship for English majors, service to the community, and service to the students at NCA & TSU.

**Advisors: Dr. Kathy Essick  
and Lavie Leasure**

**President: Charles Lindsay**

**Human Environment and Family Services**



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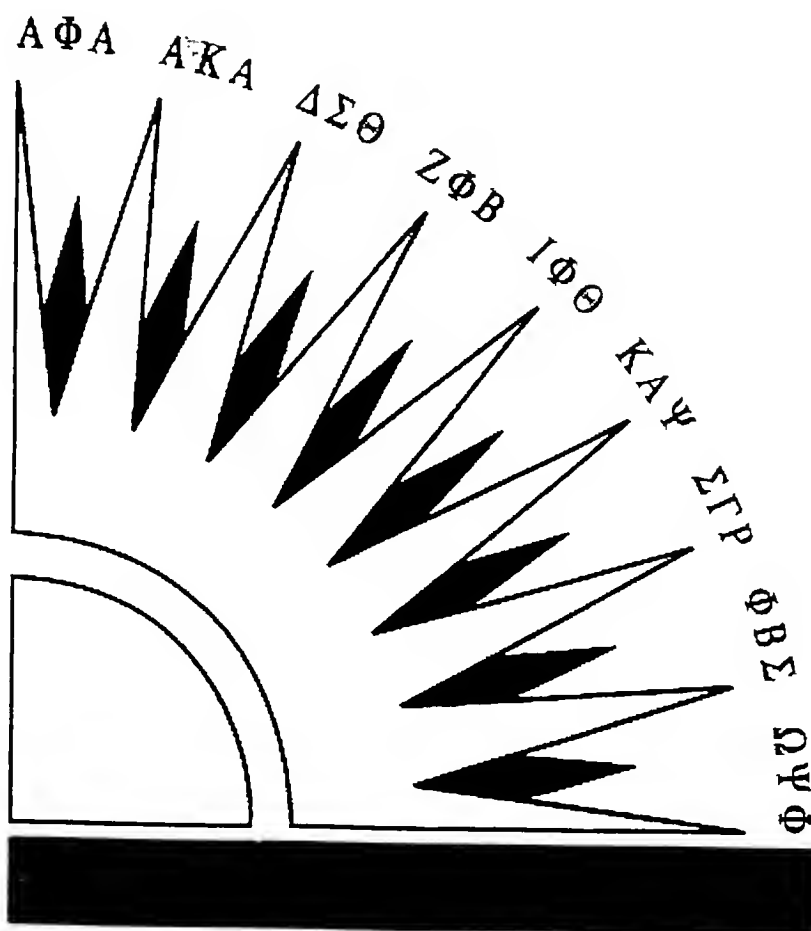


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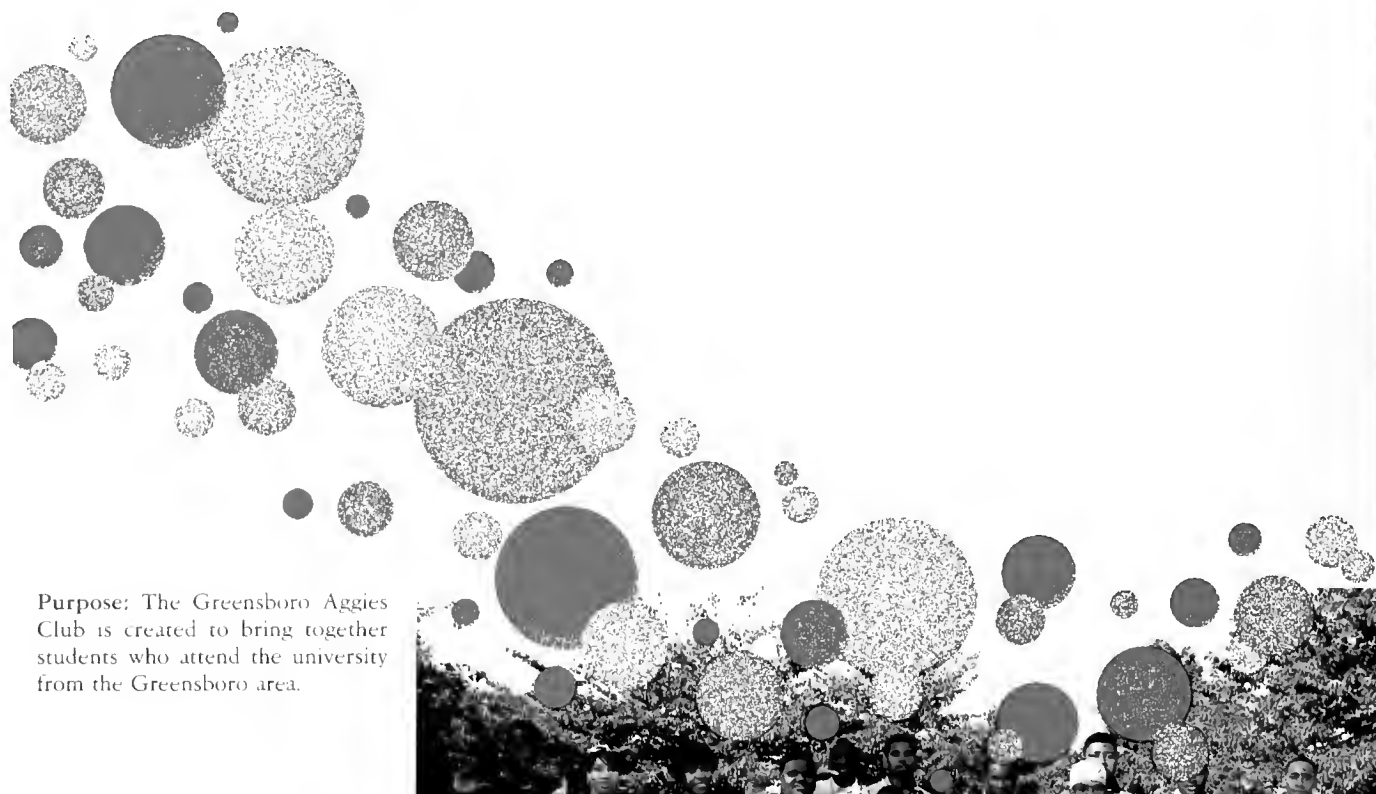
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***'THE ELITE EIGHT' BECOMES 'THE NOBLE NINE'!***

Iota Phi Theta Fraternity, Inc. is the fifth largest black fraternity and the ninth member of the Pan Hellenic Council. Officially inducted in the council in November 1996, the fraternity was founded on September 19, 1963 at Morgan State University in Baltimore, Maryland.

The development and perpetuation of scholarship, leadership, citizenship, fidelity and brotherhood among men is the fraternity's purpose. Building a tradition and not resting upon one is the underlying goal.



Purpose: The Greensboro Aggies Club is created to bring together students who attend the university from the Greensboro area.



Advisor: Ms. Faye Caple



Greensboro,  
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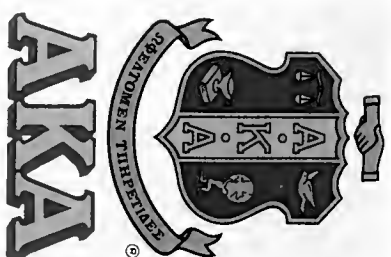
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*The Ladies of*

# Alpha Phi Chapter



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DELTA SIGMA THETA SORORITY, INC.  
ALPHA MU CHAPTER

Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. is a public service organization whose purpose is to provide service programs to promote human welfare. A sisterhood of approximately 185,000 predominantly Black college trained women, the sorority has over 900 graduate and undergraduate chapters nationwide and internationally.

At the inception of Delta Sigma Theta in 1913 at Howard University, the 22 founders envisioned an organization pledged to serious endeavor and community service. These goals are realized through the sorority's major programmatic thrust; economic development, educational development, political awareness and involvement, physical and mental health, international awareness and involvement, and the arts and letters. The Alpha Mu Chapter was chartered at A&T College on February 13, 1932.

Advisors: Mrs. Harriet F. Davis  
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# ZETA PHI BETA SORORITY, INC.

In 1920, five precious pearls founded this elite and prestigious organization. The Zeta Alpha Chapter was founded in 1934 and it has been an organization that epitomizes our principles as ladies of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority, Inc. Our members possess character, creativity, and dedication.



Sisters of the Dove



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# OMEGA PSI PHI FRATERNITY, INC.

Mu Psi Chapter

Advisor: Dr. Marcus Tillery



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 President, David Stewart

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On November 17, 1911, a date sacred to all Omega Men, the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity was born on the campus of Howard University. The founders of the first greek letter Black college campus are: Edgar A Love, Oscar J Cooper, Frank Coleman, and Ernest E Just. The fraternity founded with the belief that "Friendship is Essential to the Soul," thus the fraternity motto. The cornerstones of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Inc. are its four cardinal principles — Manhood, Scholarship, Perseverance, and Uplift.





# BETA ALPHA PSI



Advisor: Dr.  
Highsmith-Quick

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Cedra Diggs, Katrina Martin  
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DeVon Jones, LaTonya Powell,  
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# JAMES EDWARD O'HARA LEGAL SOCIETY



**Purpose:** To provide insight into the various careers in the legal profession, and to assist with the law school admission's process.

**Advisor:**  
Professor  
Raphael  
Boyd

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## ALPHA EPSILON

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**Purpose:** In order that those in the profession of Agricultural Engineering who as a result of academic attainment or achievement in practice and having exhibited qualities of leadership and character that bring credit and honor to their profession, may establish closer bonds for mutual benefit is hereby established.

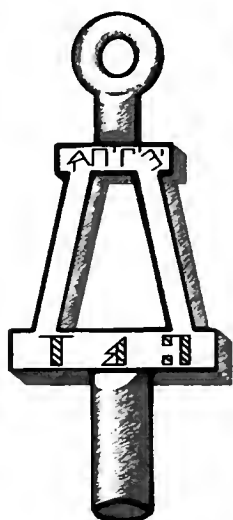
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## Agricultural Engineering



## Honor Society





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THE NATIONAL ENGINEERING HONOR SOCIETY

# American Institute of Chemical Engineers:

*Promoting the Professional Development of  
Tomorrow's Chemical Engineers*



## Mission of AIChE:

1. To promote the professional development of our members with programs and relations with other chapters and with the parent body; American Institute of Chemical Engineers.
2. To contribute to the development of chemical engineering at NCA&TSU through activities involving faculty and student members.
3. To counsel high school students interested in chemical engineering.



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**Advisor:**  
**Gary L. White**

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**Purpose:** To advance understanding, appreciation, and awareness of technology as both an enduring and influential human endeavor and as an integral element of culture.

**Advisor:**  
**Dr. Earl  
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**Advisor: Judy Rashid**

## CAMPUS QUIZ BOWL TEAM



(Left to Right) Roderick Brown, Timothy Foster, Jason Nelson, Steven Harrington, Thaddeus Robinson, (not pictured) Michael Irving, alternate

The Campus Quiz Bowl Team competes in a major tournament each year. This year the competition took place March 22-26 in Orlando, Florida. This year's team was selected from a total of 67. A campus wide competition was held with 67 student participants. The top 15 winners then competed, and the top 5 secured a spot on the NCA&T Quiz Bowl Team. Questions asked range from many topics such as science, literature, history, general knowledge, current events, African and African-American history, geography, arts religion/mythology/classics, social sciences, popular culture, and sports.



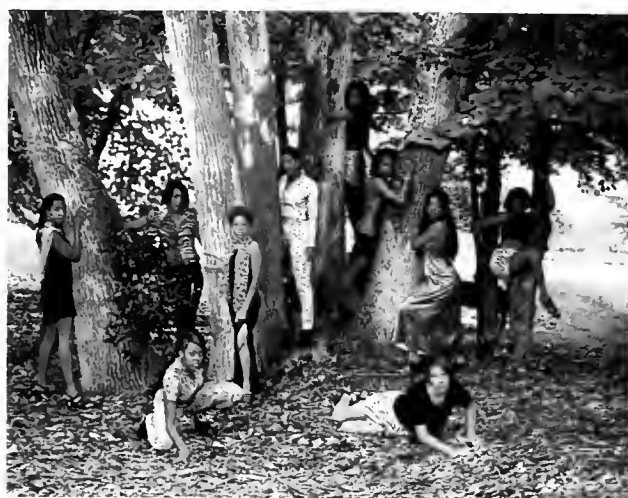
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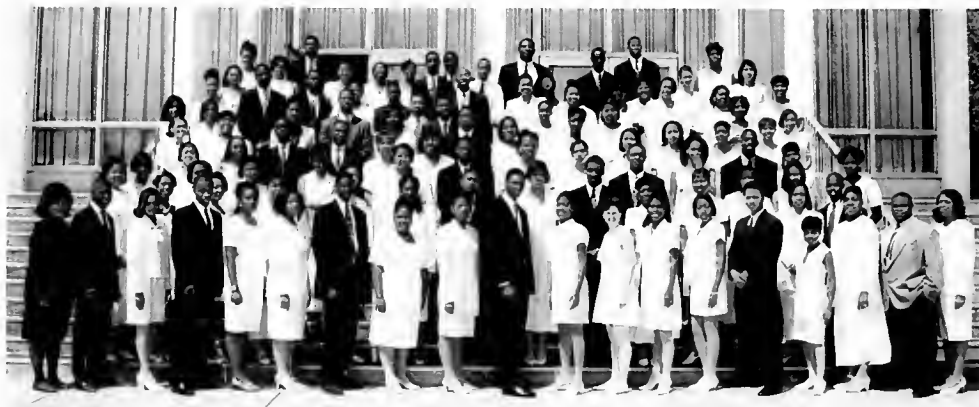
# ALPHA LAMBDA DELTA

## INDUCTION CEREMONY



The Alpha Lambda Delta is a freshman honor society that honors those freshmen who have maintained a grade point average of 3.5 or better during the first semester of their freshman year. At the ceremony, which was held in the Spring of 1996, over one hundred inductees were honored. Certainly, African-American educator W.E.B. DuBois would refer to this group of young scholars as part of "The Talented Tenth" at this fine university.

Officers are, from left to right, Cornell Cunningham — Vice President, Lillian Debnam — President, Marcia McKoy — Historian, Candace L. Grogans — Treasurer, George S. Harrington — Parliamentarian, Wendy I. Wilson — Miss ALD, Camille D. Banks — Editor, Aiysha L. Bey — Secretary, William R. Wilkins, III — Mr. ALD



# NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF NEGRO BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONAL



**Purpose:** Organized for educational and charitable purposes, and to implement seminars and workshops on subjects to prepare young women in choosing a career. To assist other organizations in providing open resources for the community, and to increase self esteem, self awareness, concepts of self-management, and self control.

## WOMEN'S CLUBS INC.

Beta Psi  
Chapter

## OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH CLUB

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**Advisor: Dr. Dilip  
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# THE PRE-VETERINARY CLUB



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# SOCIETY OF AUTOMOTIVE ENGINEERS



President:  
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Purpose: For engineers to gain experience in teamwork through designing, testing, and competing in various national and regional vehicle design competitions.

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# AMERICAN MARKETING ASSOCIATION



Purpose: To provide activities that will help members to better understand the marketing profession and to establish a vehicle for professional development.

Advisor: Dr. Edna Johnson

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Advisor: Diana Robinson



# NEW YORK/NEW JERSEY CONNECTION

**Advisors:**  
Ladonna  
Morehead,  
Margaret  
Brown

Our goal is to form a support network comprised of students from New York, New Jersey, and surrounding states, and to establish strong unity and friendship ties through various functions.



# STUDENTS IN FREE ENTERPRISE

**Advisor:**  
Dr. Chi  
Anyanisi-  
Archibong

**Purpose:** To educate others in understanding how market economics and businesses operate, and help them to use this knowledge to better themselves, their community and commitment to the projects and participation.



# NATIONAL SOCIETY OF PERSHING ANGELS



Angels:  
Crystal Armour  
Darlene Dalton  
Kanika Hammonds  
Joyce Craig  
Kimberly Reese  
Not pictured:  
Kimberly Brown

The sole purpose of this organization is to provide greater knowledge of the armed services. Also, to instruct members in citizenship, patriotism, and to provide such programs, whether military, social, or service as may be beneficial to its members, the armed service and the University family.

# NATIONAL SOCIETY OF ARCHITECTURAL ENGINEERING



Advisor:  
Dr.  
Ronald  
Helms

The purpose of this organization is to meet the needs and understand the concerns of architectural engineers by working toward the common goal of enhancing the A.E. professions.

# TELOCA



Advisors: Mary Wall and  
Dr. Sonja Wilson



**Purpose:** To assume responsibility for contributing to nursing education in order to provide the highest quality health.



# CHI ETA PHI SORORITY, INC.

## Sigma Chi Beta Chapter



April Pearson, Miss Chi Eta Phi  
Tajma Davis, D.P.



**Purpose:** To promote a higher educational background, correlate all branches of the profession, bring a closer and more friendly feeling between all members of the profession, and to elevate the general plane of nursing.



### Members:

Jennifer King, Pres.; Tara Williams, Vice Pres.; LaKeisha Frazier, Secr., Celesta Blake, Treas.; Sharonda Boykin, Historian; Tajma Davis, D.P.; April Pearson, Miss Chi Eta Phi; Gemeka Coleman, Trina Monroe, Nakia Morris, Nikki Hines

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Cassandra Blaine



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Ethel Mae Childs  
Trena Covington



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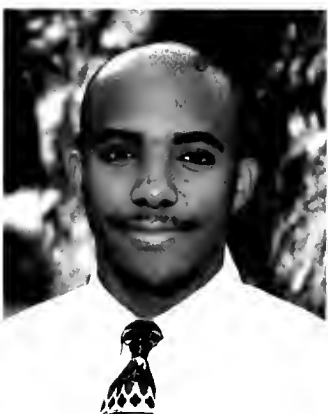
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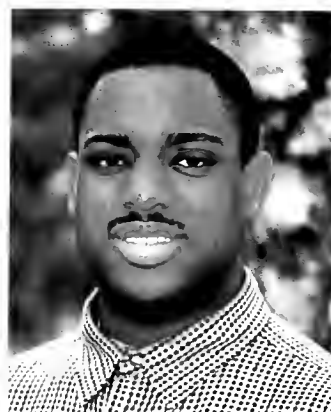
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## ALMA MATER

Dear A. and T., dear A. and T., a monument indeed,  
Around thy base with grateful hearts behold thy students, kneel.  
We bless the power that gave thee birth to help us in our need,  
We'll ever strive while here on earth all loyalty to yield.

## REFRAIN

With joy, with joy, dear A. and T., thy students turn from thee.  
To spread thy trophies year by year from Dare to Cherokee.

## II

Dear A. and T., dear A. and T., the signet thou shalt be  
Set by our great old commonwealth, proud boaster of the free;  
She'd have the record of her worth on granite not inscribed-  
Nay, let the children of her birth proclaim it by their lives.

## III

Dear A. and T., dear A. and T., henceforth our aim shall be,  
By precepts wise and deeds more sure to bless the State through thee;  
The arts of industry to wield against an idle foe.  
A harvest rich from ripened fields of what thy students sow.

